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In the house, the \$60,000,000 drought relief bill agitated administration leaders. They hoped to iron out the controversy between the Hoover administration and the senate over the authority of the \$60,000,000 bill. Senator Charles L. McNary (R) of Oregon, who introduced it, charged it was a "department of agriculture bill" but the senator was mistaken. A lot of the bad feeling in the senate was engendered by the belief that Mr. Hoover had included this measure in his denunciation of "raids upon the treasury."

Both house and senate meanwhile will be held in session until the two measures are enacted into law. Senator James E. Watson, Republican leader of the senate, made this announcement and like statements were issued by Democratic chieftains. Unless these bills are passed first, Watson said, he would abandon his plan to adjourn congress from December 20 to January 5 for the Christmas holidays.

The White House kept an eye on another controversy—the world court protocol, which was discussed this morning at a secret session of the senate foreign relations committee. There were signs the protocol would be buried in the committee throughout the remainder of the present session, due to fears it might be used to filibuster against legislation.

Twelve Ships In Four Squadrons Head Toward Africa

ORBETELLO, Italy, Dec. 17.—Flying in triangle formation and divided into four squadrons, the twelve powerful Italian military seaplanes commanded by General Italo Balbo, air minister, were cruising toward Africa today, off on the first leg of their 6,500-mile flight to South America.

General Balbo, in his black squadron, led the way from Lake Orbetello, with the red, green and white squadrons taking to the air after him at intervals of twenty seconds. The weather at the start was excellent.

The air fleet will spread its cruise to Rio de Janeiro in Brazil over three weeks, averaging 100 miles an hour for an estimated sixty-five total number of flying hours. The ships are two pontoon Savoia-Marchetti monoplanes with tandem flat motors developing a total of 1,120 horsepower.

The object of the spectacular project, according to Italian military circles, is to test the value of military air squadrons for long-distance missions.

The Italian government has planned to station seven fast cruisers along the South Atlantic route in case of any forced landings in the sea.

PROMINENT COUPLE IN DIVORCE MIX-UP

PORTSMOUTH, O., Dec. 17.—Decision in the sensational divorce suit filed here by Helen Haldeman Whitaker, member of a prominent Portsmouth family, against Robert C. Whitaker, scion of the family of A. C. Whitaker, millionaire steel magnate of Wheeling, W. Va., was expected to be given today.

Mrs. Whitaker charged extreme cruelty, stating in her petition that her husband frequently came home intoxicated and that he often beat her. On six occasions, she alleged, Whitaker threatened her life with a gun.

She asked custody of their two children and \$100 a month alimony. The suit was not contested. The couple was married at an elaborate wedding here in 1923.

FOINCARE SHOWS IMPROVEMENT

PARIS, Dec. 17.—The condition of Raymond Poincare, wartime president of France who has been critically ill since Saturday, was pronounced satisfactory today by attending physicians.

A bulletin signed jointly by Dr. Boidin and Dr. Guillaum was issued this morning, as follows: "The condition of M. Poincare, who is suffering from vascular spasms, has improved to the extent which permits envisaging of the future favorably. His temperature and pulse are normal."

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Government To Act As Usual Until Case Appealed

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John D. Pennington, prohibition administrator for Pennsylvania, New Jersey and Delaware, in a statement in Philadelphia said that unless instructions from Washington said otherwise, he would consider the eighteenth amendment and the Volstead act still valid in New Jersey.

United States Attorney Philip Forman at Trenton, who represented the government in the case in which Judge Clark made the decision, said the law would be enforced just as in the past.

"The government will, of course, appeal the decision," he said, "meanwhile, as I understand it, no other judge in the United States, or the judges of this district, are bound by his opinion, and therefore enforcement of the Volstead act will continue in New Jersey until the remaining three judges of this bench all decided in agreement with Judge Clark or until a decision of the higher court is reached upon this opinion."

Judge Clark also said the decision was not binding on other judges in his district and explained they could make their decision as to whether or not the amendment was valid or not.

"My decision will not affect the operation of prohibition laws in any way, or affect other amendments to the constitution," said Judge Clark.

Daniel F. Cohan, one of the defense counsel in the case, however, declared that the ruling would immediately void prohibition in New Jersey.

Governor Morgan F. Larson of New Jersey said:

"I have the highest regard for Judge Clark, but I should not take his decision as settling the matter. I would not advise any of my friends to transport liquor."

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COMMITTEE URGES LOCAL REDUCTIONS

COLUMBUS, O., Dec. 17.—If reduction in governmental costs is ever to become effective, it must originate in the local political subdivisions. This was the position taken today by the subcommittee on research, comprising members of Governor Myers Y. Cooper's taxation committee.

Approximately 88 per cent of the burden of governmental operations, or about \$410,000,000 a year, is spent in the local subdivisions, the subcommittee stated. Operation of the state government makes up the remaining 12 per cent.

Schools and highways use 66 per cent of the local funds, according to the subcommittee.

SEVEN KILLED

LEON, Spain, Dec. 17.—Seven persons were killed and eighteen seriously injured when an express train collided with a freight train here today. Several cars of the passenger train were demolished.

How MUCH DO YOU KNOW ABOUT CHRISTMAS?

1. WHAT is the traditional English dessert for Christmas dinner?
2. WHAT great chorus from an oratorio is frequently sung at Christmas?
3. WHAT is the origin of Xmas, as a form of writing Christmas?
4. WHEN is Twelfth Day, or the festival of Epiphany?
5. DO Dutch children hang up their stockings?

What do you want?

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The five insurgent senators who continued to hold out on the "regulars" were: Frank E. Whittemore of Akron; C. E. Anderson of Shelby; Walter G. Nickels of New Philadelphia; V. D. Emmons of Akron; and Nils P. Johnson of Youngstown.

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Outside of the purely party political aspect, one of the most significant developments at the committee meetings was the revival of the old-time temperance committee. Senator Joseph Ackerman of Cleveland, who is known to hold "wet" tendencies, was named chairman, although the "dry" are said to control the committee.

Restoration of the temperance committee was regarded as indicative of the belief of legislative leaders that considerable wet-dry legislation will be disposed of during the impending legislative session.

In selecting Democratic senators for positions on the standing committees, the committee on committees conferred with Senator D. H. Deamond of Hamilton County, minority floor leader, and other minority members of the upper legislative branch.

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Snow was forecast for most parts of the state for tonight and Thursday morning when the thermometer climbed slowly but steadily today. Tuesday was one of the coldest days of the year when reports from various parts of the state stated that untraveled areas and outlying districts recorded temperatures of from 5 to 10 degrees above zero.

The United States weather bureau here said normal temperatures would prevail through Friday but that the weather in general for the next three days was unsettled. It was indicated by reports from states west of Ohio that snow storms of moderate degree would hit the Buckeye state sometime this latter part of the week.

The storms in the western cyclonic area centered around the Mississippi River district today and was slowly subsiding.

Northern Ohio experienced the coldest temperatures in the state today with readings of 9 and 10 degrees reported from the rural districts. Cleveland and Toledo each registered 14 degrees.

Central Ohio recorded from 12 to 16 degrees, with the mercury hovering near the 15 degree mark at Columbus.

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CLEVELAND, Dec. 17.—Damage resulting from a raging fire which swept through the City Awning and Supply Co. warehouse here and nearly cost the lives of seven firemen, including Battalion Chief James Flynn, was estimated at \$100,000 today.

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The senate sought a compromise on the President's \$14,000,000 public works bill, to which it previously added amendments which met Mr. Hoover's opposition. There was a possibility the senate might reverse itself and restore Mr. Hoover's proposed power to interchange appropriations between waterway and good road funds but a stiff battle was in prospect over the senate's plan to compel the use of local labor and the payment of local wage scales on all new projects.

In the house, the \$90,000,000 drought relief bill agitated administration leaders. They hoped to iron out the controversy between the Hoover administration and the senate over the authority of the \$60,000,000 bill. Senator Charles L. McNary (R) of Oregon, who introduced it, charged it was a "department of agriculture bill" but Secretary of Agriculture Hyde said the senator was mistaken. A lot of the bad feeling in the senate was engendered by the belief that Mr. Hoover had included this measure in his denunciation of "raids upon the treasury."

Both house and senate meanwhile will be held in session until the two measures are enacted into law. Senator James E. Watson, Republican leader of agriculture, made this announcement and like statements were issued by Democratic chiefs. Unless these bills are passed first, Watson said, he would abandon his plan to adjourn congress from December 20 to January 5 for the Christmas holidays.

The White House kept an eye on another controversy—the world court protocol, which was discussed this morning at a secret session of the senate foreign relations committee. There were signs the protocol would be buried in the committee throughout the remainder of the present session, due to fears it might be used to filibuster against legislation.

FIRE DAMAGES SCHOOL

MARYSVILLE, O., Dec. 17.—Damage to the Allen Center School where fire broke out late Tuesday, was estimated today at \$4,000. North Lewisburg firemen extinguished the flames. Insurance covered the loss.

ENFORCEMENT WORK WILL CONTINUE IN SPITE OF DECISION

Government To Act As Usual Until Case Appealed

NEWARK, N. J., Dec. 17.—In spite of the decision of United States Judge William Clark declaring the eighteenth amendment unconstitutional on the ground that it was not ratified by the states in accordance with the terms of the constitution, federal prohibition authorities today said enforcement work would continue.

John D. Pennington, prohibition administrator for Pennsylvania, New Jersey and Delaware, in a statement in Philadelphia said that unless instructions from Washington said otherwise, he would consider the eighteenth amendment and the Volstead act still valid in New Jersey.

United States Attorney Philip Forman at Trenton, who represented the government in the case in which Judge Clark made the decision, said the law would be enforced just as in the past.

"The government will, of course, appeal the decision," he said. "Meanwhile, as I understand it, no other judges in the United States, or the judges of this district, are bound by this opinion, and therefore enforcement of the Volstead act will continue in New Jersey until the remaining three judges of this bench all decide in agreement with Judge Clark or until a decision of the higher court is reached upon this opinion."

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"My decision will not affect the operation of prohibition laws in any way, or affect other amendments to the constitution," said Judge Clark. Daniel F. Cohan, one of the defense counsel in the case, however, declared that the ruling would immediately void prohibition in New Jersey.

Governor Morgan F. Larson of New Jersey said:

"I have the highest regard for Judge Clark, but I should not take his decision as settling the matter. I would not advise any of my friends to transport liquor."

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COMMITTEE URGES LOCAL REDUCTIONS

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SEVEN KILLED

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How MUCH DO YOU KNOW ABOUT CHRISTMAS?

1. WHAT is the traditional English dessert for Christmas dinner?
2. WHAT great chorus from an oratorio is frequently sung at Christmas?
3. WHAT is the origin of Xmas, as a form of writing Christmas?
4. WHEN is Twelfth Day, or the festival of Epiphany?
5. DO Dutch children hang up their stockings?



ANSWERS ON PAGE TEN

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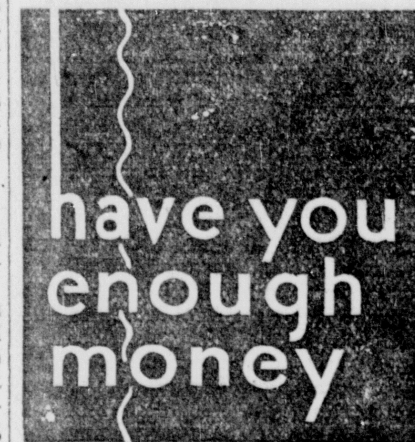
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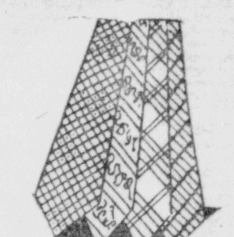
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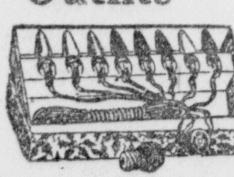
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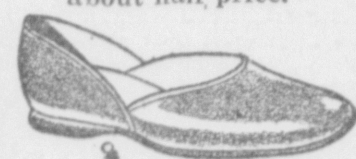
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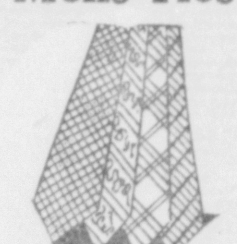
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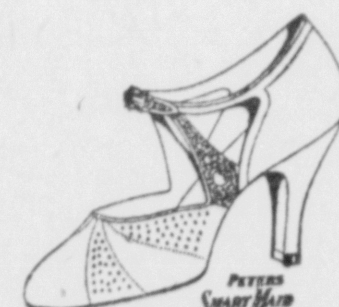
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Mr. Palmer said that taxation is our most active program just now. With agriculture producing spending an average of 27 per cent of their income for taxes, it is readily apparent that an equalization of the tax load is a form of farm relief most needed by farmers.

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W. E. Sollars, director of the nineteenth district, reported on the annual meeting of the American Farm Bureau Federation held in Boston last week, and outlined briefly the constitutional amendments proposed at this gathering.

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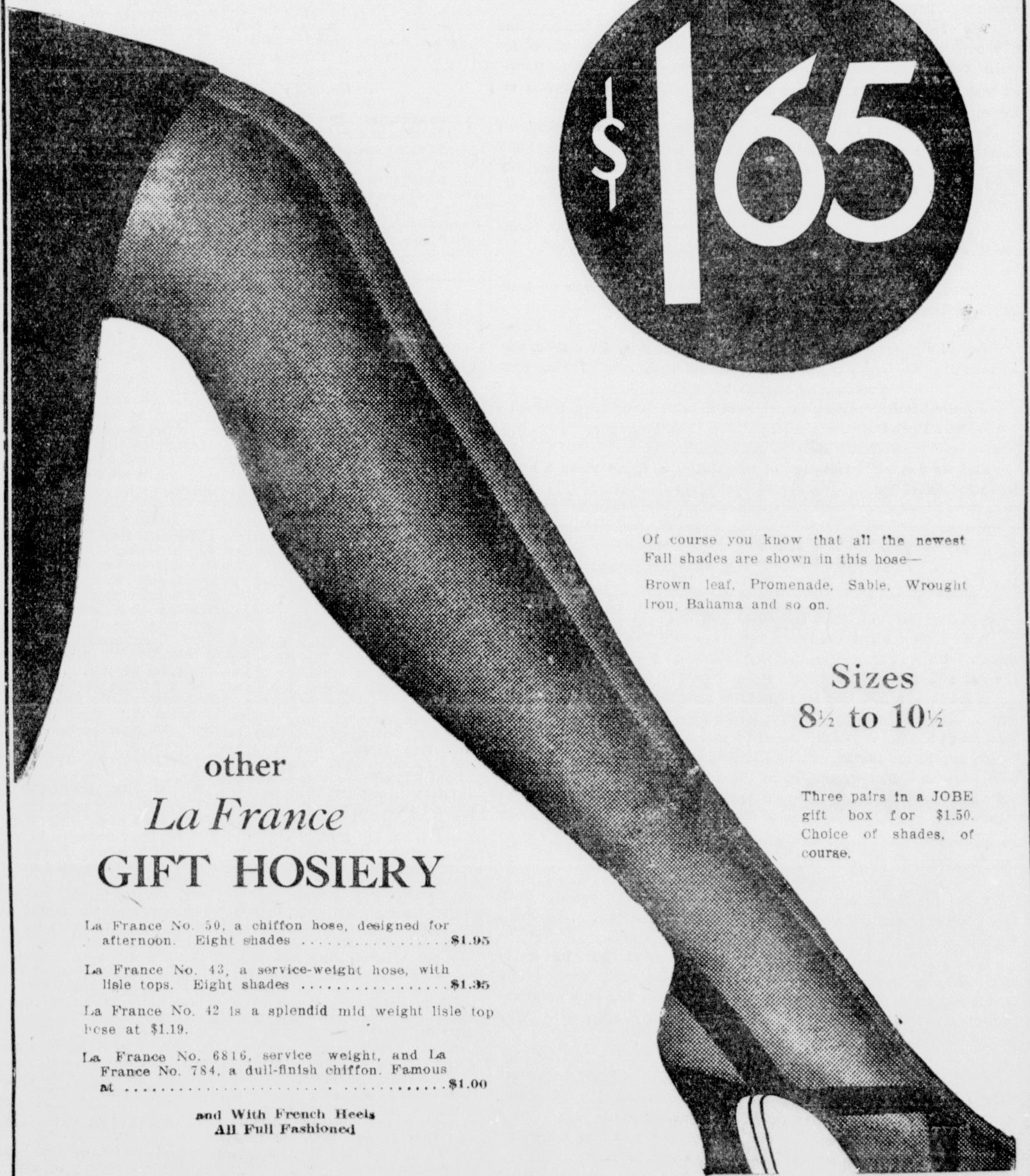
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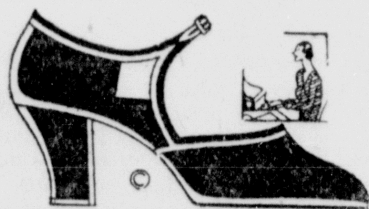
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The banquet was also arranged in the nature of a reception to Mr. O'Donnell, the retiring governor, Judge Schramm, the governor-elect, and Mr. Galloway, lieutenant governor of this district.

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—Continued Friday

PALMER ADDRESSES DISTRICT MEETING OF BUREAU IN XENIA

"Property alone is not the measure of ability to pay, and should not be the measure of obligation to pay taxes, but the proper basis should be service rendered; benefits received; ability to pay" according to L. B. Palmer, president of the Ohio Farm Bureau Federation, who spoke at the 19th District Farm Bureau Meeting, Xenia, Tuesday.

Mr. Palmer said that taxation is our most active program just now. With agriculture producing spending an average of 27 per cent of their income for taxes, it is readily apparent that an equalization of the tax load is a form of farm relief most needed by farmers.

The state organization is sponsoring an income tax, the revenue from which should go for school purposes as a replacement tax for a portion of that now assessed against real property for school purposes. Mr. Palmer stated that "the taxing of intangible wealth of the state can best be accomplished by an income tax collected at the source on the earnings of these investments rather than by a low classified rate tax. A sales

tax on certain so-called luxuries and certain types of amusements will bring needed revenue and will cause many to contribute to operations of government who heretofore have been spending their money for luxuries and amusements and not paying any general property tax."

As only about 50 per cent of the auto owners pay property tax on their cars it was pointed out that the exemption of property tax on automobiles and increasing the license tag tax would be more equitable to all motorists.

Other forms of legislation being sponsored by the state organization are: rural police; drivers' license and a law requiring motorists financial responsibility insurance.

W. E. Sollars, director of the nineteenth district, reported on the annual meeting of the American Farm Bureau Federation held in Boston last week, and outlined briefly the constitutional amendments proposed at this gathering. Representatives from Warren, Clinton, Fayette and Greene Counties were in attendance.

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HOME VOLUNTEERS SUPPORT TO XENIA COMMUNITY CHEST

Although the Ohio Soldiers' and Sailors' Orphans' Home is a state-supported institution, its employees, interested in the welfare of Xenia and anxious for the third annual Community Fund campaign to reach its \$10,000 quota, have voluntarily contributed \$625 to the current drive, according to an announcement at chest headquarters Wednesday.

This marks the first year the state institution has assisted in

what is primarily a community project and officials disclose that Captain Harold L. Hays, superintendent of the Home, initiated the movement this year among the employees.

Heads of the various departments at the institution acted in the capacity of campaign chairmen for their respective departments and Home employees have, it is revealed, contributed 100 per cent to the city's drive, boosting the total sum raised to date above the \$9,000 mark.

MAYOR WALKER ILL

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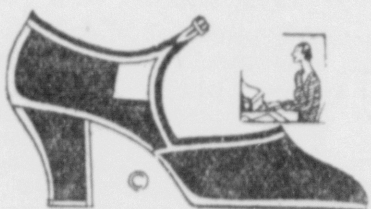
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BIBLE THOUGHT FOR TODAY

Herein is our love made perfect, that we may have boldness in the day of judgment; because as he is, so are we in this world. There is no fear in love; but perfect love casteth out fear: because fear hath torment. He that feareth is not made perfect in love.—I John iv, 17, 18.

CHILDREN AND TOYS

It is a fascinating thing to visit the toy departments of our stores in this city and see the clever devices invented to make the children happy. Mechanical toys have been very popular in this year's Christmas trade, and the kids reach heights of bliss when they get hold of a toy automobile that will really go, or something equally fascinating in the vehicle or machine line.

The young fry like to think that they are doing what the old folks do. Their toy automobile makes them feel that they are operating a real car in that wonderful land of Make Believe. They leap over the intervening years, and see themselves big men and women, speeding over the hard roads just as Dad does. Thus they get a thrill that is quite as great as the one that comes later when they first get a real steering wheel in their hands. Such dreams are a part of the heritage of the child, and help him accomplish his tasks and grow up to be a real man.

Children should be taught to take care of their toys, and to pick them up and put them away after playing with them. The child who has learned to handle them in an orderly and careful way, has made one step in his training.

Toys in which a child can use some ingenuity of his own help him get a start in the world of useful work. Tools of daily life, the toy spade, saw, hammer, give him a respect for labor, and often have been the starting point from which a boy went on to manual skill. The girl's doll gives her a vision of the tasks of womanhood. The toy world is a very real one to the boy or girl, and something is wrong with the family life if they do not get a share of its joys.

GOVERNMENT AND UNEMPLOYMENT

Years ago, it was not thought the government had any special responsibility to prevent unemployment. Today the people demand some kind of action to protect them from this evil. This demand comes not merely from people who are actually out of work, but from those who fear to lose their jobs, and from all who suffer as the result of depression.

American public sentiment does not look favorably on anything like a dole. It wants people to work for their money. The sentiment is growing that federal, state, and city governments must do all they can in times of emergency to provide work, or stimulate others to provide it. Of course many impractical schemes will be offered that would do more harm than good. Our statesmen must sift out the good plans from the poor ones.

One difficulty consists in the "red tape" of the methods of government operation, that it takes so long, and so many formalities have to be complied with, before the government can start construction jobs. What is needed is legislation that will permit these formalities to be very much hastened in times of unemployment.

The federal and state governments, and so far as practical the city governments, should have always on hand completed plans for public construction work that is going to be needed in the near future, so that in times when many people are out of work, construction on these projects could be started very soon.

No money should be wasted on foolish projects. There are plenty of things which are really needed. Such construction jobs cost money, and might call for bond issues in some cases. The country can better pay bond interest than allow millions of workers to lie idle.

We are sorry for the youngsters who never have believed in Santa Claus. They are strangers to a thrill that lasts far into adult life.

The staggers of the farce in Moscow may have put it over on their dupes in Russia, but nobody else has been fooled.

Periodically, considerable is said about the necessity for making war on rats. The two-legged variety is the one that needs extermination first.

Happily the lame ducks do not have to walk home from Washington. They all get their fares paid.

And we don't like this idea of substituting a flying plane for flying reindeer, either.

ALL of US

—By— MARSHALL MASLIN

ARE WE CRY-BABIES?

Wish I knew why these Torch Songs are so popular in these United States. Wish I could understand why this land of the free has become the home of the weeps.

A lad loves a lass. She says she loves him, too. He believes her. She leaves him for another lad. He sobs his grief in public. . . . Nobody snickers at the Big Cry-Baby. All of us join in the soppy, sloppy chorus.

Or maybe it's the maiden who loves the youth—and sees him turn fickle—and sees him walking down the avenue with another girl. Does SHE hide away with her lacerated heart? Not she. . . . Not today. She stands on a corner and cries as if that little heart would break—or dissolve in salty tears and flow away—down the gutter—all the way to the "unplumbed, salt, estranging sea."

These are lugubrious days. Such a sadness we're having. Such "dropping of warm tears." Such moaning! Such a mess! . . . And why, I'm asking again, all these drippy, weepy, Torch Songs?

What's happened to us? Have we lost our grip? Are we shell-shocked? Can we blame it on the war? Is it the stock crash, still? What's become of the gruff old codgers who used to roar at a whimpering young fellow: "Be a man or a mouse or a long-tailed rat!" Why all the whining?

Of course we've always had Torch Songs—but the old ones were different. Remember "You Made Me What I Am Today"? Remember "I Wonder Who's Kissing Her Now"? Remember "That's How I Need You—ooh"? But they were few and far between and now there's no "between" and they turn out the Torch Songs by the million.

But what I'd like most of all to know is this: "Are all these Torch Songs we're hearing these days just songs that mean nothing but not unpleasant melancholy, or do they mean that we've become a nation of men and women who yell when they're hurt, who advertise their grief in public, and yowl for the sympathy of every passing stranger?"

I hope they don't mean we're Cry Babies. I hope we have iron in us still. I hope they don't mean we've become a howling, whimpering, sniveling bunch of mama's boys and girls. I surely do.

THE QUESTION BOX

—Central Press Wash. Bureau

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What causes a person to yawn?
The yawn generally is an evidence of mental weariness, though it is frequently imitative. This modified respiratory movement is caused by imperfect aeration of the blood and is essentially reflex, the stimulus determining each movement acting on the respiratory center. It occurs during paralysis of the muscles which raise the shoulder. Yawning occurs in certain animals, such as the dog, lion and horse.

ARTIST

What are some of the facts of the life of Hofmann, the German painter who created scenes from the life of Christ?

Heinrich Hofmann (1824-1902) was a German historical painter, born at Darmstadt. He was a pupil of Theodor Willebrandt and Shadow at Dusseldorf and of the Antwerp academy. In 1862 he became professor at the Academy at Dresden. Although his subjects were drawn from the entire domain of literature and mythology, his extensively engraved scenes from the life of Christ are most widely known. His pictures owe their popularity entirely to his illustrative talent and ideal conceptions of Biblical events.

CHOCOLATE

Does chocolate contain caffeine as tea and coffee?
Yes, chocolate does contain a percentage of caffeine, according to leading health authorities. Because of the high nutritious value of cacao from which chocolate is made, however, it is not deemed as injurious as tea or coffee.

MANSFIELD

When was Mansfield, the American actor, born and when did he die?

Richard Mansfield was born May 24, 1857, on the island of Heligoland and he died in 1907. Deep study and careful elaboration of detail characterized Mansfield's work.

EAST INDIES

Where are the Dutch East Indies and what portion of them is inhabited by natives?

On the map of the Eastern Hemisphere the Dutch East Indies make up the greater part of the Malay Archipelago. The civilized regions are densely populated and completely under Dutch control; other outposts districts are under direct supervision of Dutch officials, but there are still other portions which refuse to acknowledge Dutch sovereignty as Achin, in northern Sumatra and large areas of New Guinea, and of the south and east districts of Borneo. These are inhabited chiefly by natives.

(NOTE: The following pamphlets may be obtained by sending 10 cents in coin and a large stamped, self-addressed envelope for each, to Central Press Bureau, P. O. Box 126, Washington D. C.: "Who's Who in Hollywood," "Swimming," "Seeing Washington," Charles P. Stewart's treatise on "Our Government," and "The World War.")

Bo-Broadway

—By JOSEPH VAN RAALE—

THE HOUSE THAT JACK BUILT

Broadway was all set up the other day over a notice in a local newspaper advertising the sale of Eddie Cantor's realty holdings in New York State—chief among them, his Long Island home at Great Neck. With its furnishings and landscaping the place cost the comedian easily half a million dollars. To Mazda Lane, Eddie's Great Neck villa was known as "The house that Ziegfeld's jack built." Cantor himself called it "Cantor's Home for Girls."

TO SUNNY SOUTH

Cantor has been doing a lot of kidding on and off the stage for the last year or so about the "trade recession" and when the announcement appeared that he was selling his home on Long Island, Broadway, accustomed of late to "kidding with alarm," became convinced at once that "Wall Street had got Eddie."

A prominent New York banker, Cantor's chief financial adviser, hearing the rumors, quickly allayed all fears on that score. The canny Brother Cantor, it seems, never speculated in Wall Street. He went into the market sure enough; but like a wise lad he bought his stuff outright, wherefore with a yearly income of between \$300,000 and \$400,000, his little old "grouch bag" has more than a million bucks salted away. He's now going to live with his family in California, the land of canned tomatoes and sunshine—where the chief industry, they say, is wishing you were in New York.

STILL ANOTHER

Everybody's taken a crack at explaining the universe. Some of the reasons advanced are pathetic. Some are funny. Most of them read as if they had been written in the psychopathic ward. And now comes Sir Jimmy Jeans with a new book which he calls "The Mysterious Universe," in which he breaks away from the philosophy of mechanism and turns to a conception of "The Show as the creation of a mathematical thinker."

You may not agree with all that Sir Jimmy says; but, at least, he's

THE CHRISTMAS CAROLERS



SOLONS VIEW CONGRESS AS PEOPLE'S BULWARK AGAINST BIG INTERESTS

—CHARLES P. STEWART

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—Not all of the country's leading lawmakers take kindly to the insinuation that it is a national calamity to have congress in session.

For example, Chairman Julius H. Barnes of President Hoover's business survey conference, an ex-president of the United States Chamber of Commerce, was quoted recently as hoping "no extended (congressional) discussion" will be allowed to create delay and (even) discussion of an extra session at this sensitive time.

To make it nonpartisan, Mr. Barnes being of the Republican faith, Owen D. Young, often mentioned as a Democratic presidential possibility, was quoted about the same time to the effect that a suspension of congressional and parliamentary activities throughout the world would do more good than an armament suspension.

"Very characteristic of big business," nodded Senator Henrik Shipstead of Minnesota, commenting on these utterances.

"It's the Mussolini ideal. 'The interests which would profit by a dictatorship naturally want one. Every steamship from Europe brings back a cabinful of their representatives, praising autocratic rule wherever they have seen it abroad. It's efficient, they say. It compels content. It makes trains

interesting—and what excuse has anything in this world for existing without that?'

Macmillan tells it for two and a quarter. The cook or the housemaid might miss a point in it, here and there; but, after all, . . .

HERE'S GOOD NEWS

The next time you clean out the old horse-hair trunk and come across these securities you brought at 60 and which are now selling at 25, wipe your weeping eye by recalling that arrangements have been made for the sale of a New York Stock Exchange membership at \$235,000, off \$11,000 from the last previous sale.

As my financial friend Clendennin McSwatt says: "Tis th' law av compensation—th' same as whin a man has a short leg, th' other is always a little longer. 'I make up th' difference, d'ye mind?'

ROOM FOR IMPROVEMENT

"Tex" Guinan subscribes to the theory that advertising men could improve their messages to the public if they better understood human nature—or "sucker nature" as she calls it.

"Why," she inquires, with some show of reason, "do people deliberately come to my club to spend a lot of money, and be suckers?"

"There's a reason. Because being a sucker is the greatest game of all, if you can afford it."

"Tex" lifted th' line—and it's a good one—from "Diamond Jim" Brady. He said it one night in Rector's, a good many years ago, when someone expostulated with him for passing easy dough on phoney tussles.

MEATLESS SAUSAGE

A man bought some sausages and asked his landlady to cook them for his breakfast.

"How'll I cook them?" she asked. "Fry 'em like fish," replied the lodger.

The next morning, when the landlady served them, she remarked: "I hope you'll enjoy your breakfast, sir; but there's not much in these things when they're cleaned out."

run on time. Does it make for free speech and justice and human liberty? Pooh! They're not interested in such details."

"This sensitive time!" echoed Senator George McGill, newly-seated from Kansas, repeating Mr. Barnes' words.

"Unless I mistake the purposes of representative government, a time of emergency, of all times, seems to me the time for the people's delegates to be on duty."

"If congress is a peril, it ought to be abolished."

"The country would be best off," said Senator Kenneth McKellar of Tennessee, "with congress in session most of the time."

"It is a highly necessary restraining influence."

"To mention just one impending danger, national power control is in a transitional stage."

"With a federal commission to their liking and no assembled legislators to protest effectively, the power interests can securely acquire every site they covet in America between the Seventy-first congress adjournment next March and the Seventy-second's convening in December."

"As to economic stress," continued the Tennesseean, "I can readily believe that neither the Julius H. Barnes nor the Owen D. Young families will suffer want during coming months, but millions of other families may."

"Congress' business is to be here for their welfare."

"Danger in an extra session!" scoffed the senator.

"Privilege was not a bit alarmed by last summer's extra session, when it was in control. It sees a threat

Peter's Adventures

—By Mrs. Florence Smith Vincent—

BETTING ON THE WINNER

Peeping over the hill crest, Peter saw that a wrestling match had followed the execution. The Black Ant, general, who had tried to give her life for her Queen's and failed, was clinging to the general of the Reds, who had challenged her. Evidently the Redskins were good sports, for they were laying bets as to which ant would win, and not all of them were choosing their own general.

"Just watch that Black Ant," a Redskin cried. "She is clinging so tightly to our general's legs that our general can't move them. Hah! What a bite that was!"

"And how she kicks and scratches. A worthy foe, if ever there was one. I'll bet a hemp seed Black Ant wins! Who'll wager against me? Who'll take my bet? Come, now, here's a chance to get some food for nothing."

"I'll bet with you, comrade," answered a second Redskin. "But it will be you, not I who will lose the hemp seed. Black Ant can't win against our general. Look how powerful our general is! How sharp her mandibles! It won't be long now before she will have put an end to our Black foe. The struggle is nearly over. I'll lay two hemp seeds to your one on my favorite."

Two by twos the Redskins bet on the victor, and hearing them, Peter was surprised.

"The Redskins don't seem to care who comes out first. All that they are thinking about is the fun they themselves are having."

Next: "The End of the Match."

against the whole country in an extra session next summer, following last November's election.

"It is not the idea of an extra session, in itself, that shocks privilege, but the idea of any session that it cannot control."

"I do think last summer's extra session was a calamity," said Senator Robert F. Wagner of New York. "It certainly would have been better if that one had not been called."

"The long months of tariff tinkering which marked it did business no good, and the tariff which came of it was worse yet."

"However, the executive branch of the government is in no position to place the entire blame for that bad piece of work upon congress, having itself acquiesced in it. Administrations have a habit of blaming congress for their own mistakes."

HOUSEHOLD HINTS

—By MRS. MARY MORTON—

MENU HINT
Hungarian Goulash
Deep Apple Pie
Coleslaw
Cheese

This goulash may be prepared, all but the potatoes, in the morning if you are going to do a day's shopping, and the potatoes added to cook while you are setting the table and preparing the rest of the meal. The pie may also be baked right after breakfast.

Today's Recipes

Hungarian Goulash.—One pound shoulder of veal, one pound lean pork. Cut meat in cubes. Dredge with flour seasoned with salt, pepper and a generous amount of paprika. In a heavy pan melt two tablespoons fat and fry out pieces of the pork fat. Add two chopped onions. Simmer until browned. Add meat. Moisten with a small amount of water or meat stock. Add one-half cup tomato puree, a bit of thyme, one bay leaf, one clove, and a few celery leaves. Cover tightly and cook slowly 45 minutes. Add six potatoes pared and cubed and continue cooking until tender. Thicken gravy and serve garnished with slices of bread and butter pickles. Serves six.

Deep Apple Pie.—Pare, quarter and core apples enough to fill a fairly deep baking dish. Put hand-dressed cup upside down in the middle to collect the juice. Season apples with sugar, a bit of cinnamon and butter. Cover with rich pie crust and bake until crust and apples are done. You may add, if you wish, by turning crust out on plate with the apples on top.

Suggestions
Better Mush
When making mush use part corn meal and part wheat cereal. The flavor is greatly improved.

Dining Room Blotters
Keep a supply of plain white blotters in the buffet drawer and when anything is spilled on the tablecloth it can be blotted up quickly before the liquid soaks.

Cereal "Pudding"
A spoonful of crisp prepared cereal over the child's cooked cereal makes him think he is getting a treat. And a few colored "sprinkles" turn any cereal into a "pudding."

Rules For 3-Year Old

—By LOGAN CLENDENING, M. D.

During the second, and especially the third year, the child's diet should increase in variety. Through the third year the plan should be to aim towards a three-meal schedule in the fourth year.

Healthy children should weigh about 35 pounds at three years. They need about 40 calories a pound a day. At least a tenth of these calories should be in protein form.

Milk is the staple of the three-year-old's diet. It contains plenty of calcium which is needed for the growing bones. It also contains vitamins A, B and D, as well as energy in easily available form.

About a quart of milk a day is the proper allowance. It is not necessary that all this be given to the child to be drunk straight. Some of the cream should be used on the cereal. Some in a soup, some as a dessert, some as bread and milk, some as custard, or junket.

Starting with breakfast, a well-cooked cereal is a regular item. During the second year the cereal should be strained, but this is not essential in the third year. The order that it should be well cooked, mentioned above, is very important. The grain should be thoroughly broken up and the tough cellulose portions softened. Cream may be used, but not sugar. Sugar dulls the appetite for other and more valuable foods. The longer a knowledge of the taste of sugar is kept from a child the better. Says Dr. Rose: "Spinach is one of the popular vegetables in the nursery, but it would never be if a lollipop came first."

The teeth should be developed by using a dry, hard bread.

Fruits and vegetables, especially green vegetables, are to be added generously. If the digestion cannot stand the fibers of fruits, the juice alone may be given. But most children can take a baked apple or banana or pear after the cooking has softened them.

Eggs, and especially the yolk, with its high iron and mineral and vitamin content, should always be a staple.

A day's schedule is as follows:
Breakfast: Applesauce, cereal with cream, a cup of milk, a slice of hard bread.

Mid-morning: A teaspoon of cod liver oil in a tablespoon of orange juice.

Dinner: Soft egg, mashed potato, green vegetable, such as spinach or peas, a cup of milk, buttered hard bread and dessert (custard or bread pudding).

Mid-afternoon: Cup of milk and a slice of bread and butter.

Supper: Milk toast and prune pulp.

EDITOR'S NOTE: Four pamphlets and six articles by Dr. Clendening can now be obtained by sending 10 cents in coin for each pamphlet and 2 cents in coin for each article, with a self-addressed, stamped envelope, to Dr. Logan Clendening, in care of this paper or Central Press Association, 1435 East Twelfth street, Cleveland, O. The pamphlets are: "Reducing and Gaining," "Hygiene of Women," "Infant Feeding" and "Instructions for the Treatment of Diabetes." The articles are: "Normal Diet," "List of Books for Mothers," "Bed Wetting," "Diet of the Expectant Mother," "Ear Troubles" and "Tuberculosis."

Be Thankful For Parents

—By MRS. VIRGINIA LEE

"DEAR VIRGINIA LEE: My parents say I can go with the fellows and when one of my boy friends stops to talk to me they make me come in the house. I'm not a fast girl. Everybody seems to like me. I don't think parents should do that way, do you?"

"I am 15 years old and I'm not a bad looking girl. I go with a boy who is 18, but he doesn't get to come in only every two weeks. So give me good advice about going with boy friends."

"My parents won't even let me go up town with my girl friend Saturday night, so what is a young girl to do? What can I do to make me happy while my boy friend isn't around? I'd like to see this poorly printed letter in your column so it might help some girls who are in the same shape as I am."

"LONESOME BROWN EYES."
All right, glad to oblige, Lonesome Brown Eyes. Here is your letter printed in the column right at the top.

I hope the other girls who "are in the same shape" that you are, as you picturesquely put it, will read and take heed to the very good advice I am about to pour out. The quotation from your letter makes me think of a front page story I read in another paper the other day which referred to a "landscaped" girl. I wondered what "shape" she was in.

Now you know, after all, you're only a little girl, and I should judge from your letter, a rather boy crazy little girl, too. Your parents know that girls who wander around the downtown streets at night—or evenings—unescorted by a man—are liable to be accosted by loafers who think they may make a "pick-up" acquaintance in this way. So they guard you from such undesirable experiences by keeping you at home. I don't call that a hardship, do you?

Of course I know it is natural for a girl of your age to be attracted to the boys, and that is all right, but if you stand and talk with boys a great deal people are likely to make unflattering remarks about you, and that, too, your parents will blame you for. You can't blame them for that, either, can you?

Keep your home and hope that your husband will reform. Help him all you can. If he gets too abusive you may have to leave him, but do what you can to keep your child's father with you and to make a home for both of you.

Mother: Better write to the city clerk of Santa Monica for the information you require.

Consult Skilled Chiroprapist

—By GLADYS GLAD

Many beauty specialists contend that painful feet cause more wrinkles in women's faces than any other thing. And yet, the woman who enters a shop and planks down a good part of hubby's salary for wrinkle creams and wrinkle eradicators is often most reluctant to part with the few dollars necessary to have her feet cared for.

Corns are among the most painful and disfiguring of foot ailments. These blemishes result from friction or pressure. And no matter how many of the patent corn cures you use, unless the cause is removed, the corn will remain.

It is not wise to use patent remedies for corns, unless you are skilled in their use. For, although many persons have been benefited by the use of such remedies, countless others have been painfully injured. The majority of corn cures contain salicylic acid as their main ingredient. This acid, like many other drugs, is valuable when properly used. But when improperly used, it is dangerous. For salicylic acid disintegrates the skin cells, and if used on a sensitive or irritated area, may cause an infection.

Figure it out for yourself. If you have a corn on the bottom of your foot, and the corn cure you use is strong enough to disintegrate that hard tissue, it stands to reason that it will be too strong to apply to a corn between the toes, where the tissue is sensitive and more easily penetrated.

And on the other hand, if the corn remedy is of just sufficient strength to "cure" the corn between the toes, it obviously will not be strong enough to have much effect on the heavier growth on the sole of the foot.

It is impossible for you to remove a corn as expertly, and as safely as a skilled chiroprapist can. For the chiroprapist can reach the farthest root

FEATURES: Views and News Comment: EDITORIAL

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BIBLE THOUGHT FOR TODAY

Herein is our love made perfect, that we may have boldness in the day of judgment; because he is, so are we in this world. There is no fear in love; but perfect love casteth out fear: because fear hath torment. He that feareth is not made perfect in love.—I John iv, 17, 18.

CHILDREN AND TOYS

It is a fascinating thing to visit the toy departments of our stores in this city and see the clever devices invented to make the children happy. Mechanical toys have been very popular in this year's Christmas trade, and the kids reach heights of bliss when they get hold of a toy automobile that will really go, or something equally fascinating in the vehicle or machine line.

The young fry like to think that they are doing what the old folks do. Their toy automobile makes them feel that they are operating a real car in that wonderful land of Make Believe. They leap over the intervening years, and see themselves big men and women, speeding over the hard roads just as Dad does. Thus they get a thrill that is quite as great as the one that comes later when they first get a real steering wheel in their hands. Such dreams are a part of the heritage of the child, and help him accomplish his tasks and grow up to be a real man.

Children should be taught to take care of their toys, and to pick them up and put them away after playing with them. The child who has learned to handle them in an orderly and careful way, has made one step in his training.

Toys in which a child can use some ingenuity of his own help him get a start in the world of useful work. Tools of daily life, the toy spade, saw, hammer, give him a respect for labor, and often have been the starting point from which a boy went on to manual skill. The girl's doll gives her a vision of the tasks of womanhood. The toy world is a very real one to the boy or girl, and something is wrong with the family life if they do not get a share of its joys.

GOVERNMENT AND UNEMPLOYMENT

Years ago, it was not thought the government had any special responsibility to prevent unemployment. Today the people demand some kind of action to protect them from this evil. This demand comes not merely from people who are actually out of work, but from those who fear to lose their jobs, and from all who suffer as the result of depression.

American public sentiment does not look favorably on anything like a dole. It wants people to work for their money. The sentiment is growing that federal, state, and city governments must do all they can in times of emergency to provide work, or stimulate others to provide it. Of course many impractical schemes will be offered that would do more harm than good. Our statesmen must sift out the good plans from the poor ones.

One difficulty consists in the "red tape" of the methods of government operation, that it takes so long, and so many formalities have to be complied with, before the government can start construction jobs. What is needed is legislation that will permit these formalities to be very much hastened in times of unemployment.

The federal and state governments, and so far as practical the city governments, should have always on hand completed plans for public construction work that is going to be needed in the near future, so that in times when many people are out of work, construction on these projects could be started very soon.

No money should be wasted on foolish projects. There are plenty of things which are really needed. Such construction jobs cost money, and might call for bond issues in some cases. The country can better pay bond interest than allow millions of workers to lie idle.

We are sorry for the youngsters who never have believed in Santa Claus. They are strangers to a thrill that lasts far into adult life.

The staggers of the force in Moscow may have put it over on their dupes in Russia, but nobody else has been fooled.

Periodically, considerable is said about the necessity for making war on rats. The two-legged variety is the one that needs extermination first.

Happily the lame ducks do not have to walk home from Washington. They all get their fares paid.

And we don't like this idea of substituting a flying plane for flying reindeer, either.

ALL of US

—By—
MARSHALL MASLIN

ARE WE CRY-BABIES?

Wish I knew why these Torch Songs are so popular in these United States. Wish I could understand why this land of the free has become the home of the weeps.

A lad loves a lass. She says she loves him, too. He believes her. She leaves him for another lad. He sobs his grief in public. . . . Nobody snickers at the Big Cry-Baby. All of us join in the soppy, sloppy chorus.

Or maybe it's the maiden who loves the youth—and sees him turn turtle—and sees him walking down the avenue with another girl. Does SHE hide away with her lacerated heart? Not she. . . . Not today. She stands on a corner and cries as if that little heart would break—or dissolve in salty tears and flow away—down the gutter—all the way to the "unplumbed, salt, estranging sea."

These are lugubrious days. Such a sadness we're having. Such "dropping of warm tears." Such moaning! Such a mess! . . . And why, I'm asking again, all these drippy, weepy, Torch Songs?

What's happened to us? Have we lost our grip? Are we shell-shocked? Can we blame it on the war? Is it the stock crash, still? What's become of the gruff old codgers who used to roar at a whimpering young fellow: "Be a man or a mouse or a long-tailed rat!" Why all the whining?

Of course we've always had Torch Songs—but the old ones were different. Remember "You Made Me What I Am Today?" Remember "I Wonder Who's Kissing Her Now?" Remember "That's How I Need You-o-ooh"? But they were few and far between and now there's no "between" and they turn out the Torch Songs by the million.

But what I'd like most of all to know is this: "Are all these Torch Songs we're hearing these days just songs that mean nothing but not unpleasant melancholy, or do they mean that we've become a nation of men and women who yell when they're hurt, who advertise their grief in public, and yowl for the sympathy of every passing stranger?"

I hope they don't mean we're Cry Babies. I hope we have iron in us still. I hope they don't mean we've become a howling, whimpering, sniveling bunch of mama's boys and girls. I surely do.

THE QUESTION BOX

—Central Press Wash. Bureau

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What causes a person to yawn? The yawn generally is an evidence of mental weariness, though it is frequently imitative. This modified respiratory movement is caused by imperfect aeration of the blood and is essentially reflex, the stimulus determining each movement acting on the respiratory center. It occurs during paralysis of the muscles which raise the shoulder. Yawning occurs in certain animals, such as the dog, lion and horse.

ARTIST

What are some of the facts of the life of Hofmann, the German painter who created scenes from the life of Christ?

Heinrich Hofmann (1824-1902) was a German historical painter, born at Darmstadt. He was a pupil of Theodor Hildebrandt and Schadow at Dusseldorf and of the Antwerp academy. In 1862 he became professor at the Academy at Dresden. Although his subjects were drawn from the entire domain of literature and mythology, his extensively engraved scenes from the life of Christ are most widely known. His pictures owe their popularity entirely to his illustrative talent and ideal conceptions of Biblical events.

CHOCOLATE

Does chocolate contain caffeine as tea and coffee?

Yes, chocolate does contain a percentage of caffeine, according to leading health authorities. Because of the high nutritious value of cacao from which chocolate is made, however, it is not deemed as injurious as tea or coffee.

MANSFIELD

When was Richard Mansfield, the American actor, born and when did he die?

Richard Mansfield was born May 24, 1857, on the island of Heligoland and he died in 1907. Deep study and careful elaboration of detail characterized Mansfield's work.

EAST INDIES

Where are the Dutch East Indies and what portion of them is inhabited only by natives?

On the map of the Eastern Hemisphere the Dutch East Indies make up the greater part of the Malay Archipelago. The civilized regions are densely populated and completely under Dutch control; other outport districts are under direct supervision of Dutch officials, but there are still other portions which refuse to acknowledge Dutch sovereignty as Achin, in northern Sumatra and large areas of New Guinea and of the south and east districts of Borneo. These are inhabited chiefly by natives.

(NOTE: The following pamphlets may be obtained by sending 10 cents in coin and a large stamped, self-addressed envelope for each, to Central Press Bureau, P. O. Box 226, Washington, D. C.: "Who's Who in Hollywood," "Swimming," "Seeing Washington," Charles P. Stewart's treatise on "Our Government," and "The World War.")

Bo-Broadway

—By JOSEPH VAN RAALTE—

THE HOUSE THAT JACK BUILT

Broadway was all set up the other day over a notice in a local newspaper advertising the sale of Eddie Cantor's realty holdings in New York State—chief among them, his Long Island home at Great Neck. With its furnishings and landscaping the place cost the comedian easily half a million dollars. To Mazda Lane, Eddie's Great Neck villa was known as "The house that Ziegfeld's Jack built." Cantor himself called it "Cantor's Home for Girls."

TO SUNNY SOUTH

Cantor has been doing a lot of kidding on and off the stage for the last year or so about the "trade recession" and when the announcement appeared that he was selling his home on Long Island, Broadway, accustomed of late to view with alarm, became convinced at once that "Wall Street had got Eddie."

A prominent New York banker, Cantor's chief financial adviser, hearing the rumors, quickly allayed all fears on that score. The canny Broker Cantor, it seems, never speculated in Wall Street. He went into the market sure enough; but like a wise lad he bought his stuff outright, wherefore, with a yearly income of between \$300,000 and \$400,000, his little old "grouch bag" has more than a million bucks salted away. He's now going to live with his family in California, the land of canned tomatoes and sunshine—where the chief industry, they say, is wishing you were in New York.

STILL ANOTHER

Everybody's taken a crack at explaining the universe. Some of the reasons advanced are pathetic. Some are funny. Most of them read as if they had been written in the psychopathic ward.

And now comes Sir Jimmy Jeans with a new book which he calls "The Mysterious Universe," in which he breaks away from the philosophy of mechanism and turns to a conception of The Show as the creation of a mathematical thinker.

You may not agree with all that Sir Jimmy says; but, at least, he's

THE CHRISTMAS CAROLERS



SOLONS VIEW CONGRESS AS PEOPLE'S BULWARK AGAINST BIG INTERESTS

—CHARLES P. STEWART

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—Not all of the country's leading lawmakers take kindly to the insinuation that it is a national calamity to have congress in session.

For example, Chairman Julius H. Barnes of President Hoover's business survey conference, an expert of the United States Chamber of Commerce, was quoted recently as hoping "no extended (congressional) discussion" will be allowed to create delay and (even) discussion of an extra session at this sensitive time.

To make it nonpartisan, Mr. Barnes being of the Republican faith, Owen D. Young, often mentioned as a Democratic presidential possibility, was quoted about the same time to the effect that a suspension of congressional and parliamentary activities throughout the world would do more good than an armament suspension.

"Very characteristic of big business," nodded Senator Henrik Shipstead of Minnesota, commenting on these utterances.

"It's the Mussolini ideal. 'The interests which would profit by a dictatorship naturally want one. Every steamship from Europe brings back a cabal of their representatives of praising autocratic rule wherever they have seen it abroad. It's efficient, they say. It compels content. It makes trains

interesting—and what excuse has anything in this world for existing other than that?

Macmillan sells it for two and a quarter. The cook or the housemaid might miss a point in it, here and there; but, after all...

HERE'S GOOD NEWS

The next time you clean out the old horse-hair trunk and come across those securities you brought at 60 and which are now selling at 25, wipe your weeping eye by recalling that arrangements have been made for the sale of a New York Stock Exchange membership at \$235,000, off \$11,000 from the last previous sale.

As my financial friend Clendennin McSwatt says: "Tis th' law as compensation—th' same as whin a man has won short leg, th' other is always a little longer t' make up th' difference, d'ye mind?"

ROOM FOR IMPROVEMENT

"Tex" Guinan subscribes to the theory that advertising men could improve their messages to the public if they better understood human nature—or "sucker nature" as she calls it.

"Why," she inquires, with some show of reason, "do people deliberately come to my club to spend a lot of money, and be suckers?"

"There's a reason. Because being a sucker is the greatest game of all, if you can afford it."

"Tex" lifted th' line—and it's a good one—from "Diamond Jim" Brady. He said it one night in Reno's, a good many years ago, when someone expostulated with him for passing easy dough on phoney touches.

MEATLESS SAUSAGE

A man bought some sausages and asked his landlady to cook them for his breakfast.

"How'll I cook them?" she asked. "Try 'em like fish," replied the lodger.

The next morning, when the landlady served them, she remarked: "I hope you'll enjoy your breakfast, sir; but there's not much in these things when they're cleaned out."

run on time. Does it make for free speech and justice and human liberty? Pooh! They're not interested in such details.

"This sensitive time!" echoed Senator George McGill, newly-seated from Kansas, repeating Mr. Barnes' words.

"Unless I mistake the purposes of representative government, a time of emergency, of all times, seems to me the time for the people's delegates to be on duty.

"If congress is a peril, it ought to be abolished."

"The country would be best off," said Senator Kenneth McKellar of Tennessee, "with congress in session most of the time."

"It is a highly necessary restraining influence."

"To mention just one impending danger, national power control is in a transitional stage."

"With a federal commission to their liking and no assembled legislators to protest effectively, the power interests can securely acquire every site they covet in America between the Seventy-first congress' adjournment next March and the Seventy-second's convening in December."

"As to economic stress," continued the Tennesseean, "I can readily believe that neither the Julius H. Barnes nor the Owen D. Young families will suffer want during coming months, but millions of other families may."

"Congress' business is to be here, for their welfare."

"Danger in an extra session!" scoffed the senator.

"Privilege was not a bit alarmed by last summer's extra session, when it was in control. It sees a threat

Peter's Adventures

—By Mrs. Florence Smith Vincent—

BETTING ON THE WINNER

Peeping over the hill crest, Peter saw that a wrestling match had followed the execution. The Black Ant general, who had tried to give her life for her Queen's and failed, was clinging to the general of the Reds, who had challenged her. Evidently the Redskins were good sports, for they were laying bets as to which ant would win, and not all of them were choosing their own general.

"Just watch that Black Ant," a Redskin cried. "She is clinging so tightly to our general's legs that our general can't move them. Hah! What a site that was!"

"And how she kicks and scratches. A worthy foe, if ever there was one. I'll bet a hemp seed Black Ant wins! Who'll wager against me? Who'll take my bet? Come, now, here's a chance to get some food for nothing."

"I'll bet with you, comrade," answered a second Redskin. "But it will be you, not I who will lose the hemp seed. Black Ant can't win against our general. Look how powerful our general is! How sharp her mandibles! It won't be long now before she will have put an end to our Black foe. The struggle is nearly over. I'll lay two hemp seeds to your one on my favorite."

Two by twos the Redskins bet on the victor, and hearing them, Peter was surprised.

"The Redskins don't seem to care who comes out first. All that they are thinking about is the fun they themselves are having."

Next: "The End of the Match."

against the whole country in an extra session next summer, following last November's election.

"It is not the idea of an extra session, in itself, that shocks privilege, but the idea of any session that it cannot control."

"I do think last summer's extra session was a calamity," said Senator Robert F. Wagner of New York. "It certainly would have been better if that one had not been called."

"The long months of tariff tinkering which marked it did business no good, and the tariff which came of it was worse yet."

"However, the executive branch of the government is in no position to place the entire blame for that had piece of work upon congress, having itself acquiesced in it. Administrations have a habit of blaming congress for their own mistakes."

HOUSEHOLD HINTS

—By MRS. MARY HORTON

MENU MONT

Hungarian Goulash—Coleslaw
Deep Apple Pie—Cheese
Coffee

This goulash may be prepared, all but the potatoes, in the morning if you are going to do a day's shopping, and the potatoes added to cook while you are setting the table and preparing the rest of the meal. The pie may also be baked right after breakfast.

Today's Recipes

Hungarian Goulash.—One pound shoulder of veal, one pound lean pork. Cut meat in cubes. Dredge with flour seasoned with salt, pepper and a generous amount of paprika. In a heavy pan melt two tablespoons fat and fry out pieces of the pork fat. Add two chopped onions. Simmer until browned.

Add meat. Moisten with a small amount of water or meat stock. Add one-half cup tomato puree, a bit of thyme, one bay leaf, one clove, a tablespoon chopped parsley and a few celery leaves. Cover tightly and cook slowly 45 minutes. Add six potatoes pared and cubed and continue cooking until tender. Thicken gravy and serve garnished with slices of bread and butter pickles. Serves six.

Deep Apple Pie.—Pare, quarter and core apples enough to fill a fairly deep baking dish. Put hand-dipped cup upside down in the middle to collect the juice. Season apples with sugar, a bit of cinnamon and butter. Cover with rich pie crust and bake until crust and apples are done. You may serve it, if you wish, by turning crust out on plate with the apples on top.

Suggestions

Better Mush

When making mush use part corn meal and part wheat cereal. The flavor is greatly improved.

Dining Room Blotters

Keep a supply of plain white blotters in the buffet drawer and when anything is spilled on the tablecloth it can be blotted up quickly before the liquid spreads.

Cereal "Pudding"

A spoonful of crisp prepared cereal over the child's cooked cereal makes him think he is getting a treat. And a few colored "sprinkles" turn any cereal into a "pudding."

Rules For 3-Year Old

—By LOGAN CLENDENING, M. D.

During the second, and especially the third year, the child's diet should increase in variety. Through the third year the plan should be to aim towards a three-meal schedule in the fourth year.

Healthy children should weigh about 33 pounds at 30 calories. They need about 40 calories a pound a day. At least a tenth of these calories should be in protein form.

Milk is the staple of the three-year-old's diet. It contains plenty of calcium which is needed for the growing bones. It also contains vitamins A, B and D, as well as energy in easily available form.

About a quart of milk a day is the proper allowance. It is not necessary that all this be given to the child to be drunk straight. Some of the cream should be used on the cereal. Some in a soup, some as a dessert, some as bread and milk, some as custard, or junket.

Starting with breakfast, a well-cooked cereal is a regular item. During the second year the cereal should be strained, but this is not essential in the third year. The order that it should be well cooked, mentioned above, is very important. The grain should be thoroughly broken up and the tough cellulose portions softened. Cream may be used, but not sugar. Sugar dulls the appetite for other and more valuable foods. The longer a knowledge of the taste of sugar is kept from a child the better. Says Dr. Rose: "Spinach is one of the popular vegetables in the nursery, but it would never be if a lollipop came first."

The teeth should be developed by using a dry, hard bread.

Fruits and vegetables, especially green vegetables, are to be added generously. If the digestion cannot stand the fibers of fruits, the juice alone may be given. But most children can take a baked apple or banana or pear after the cooking has softened them.

Eggs, and especially the yolk, with its high iron and mineral and vitamin content, should always be a staple.

A day's schedule is as follows: Breakfast: Applesauce, cereal with cream, a cup of milk, a slice of hard bread.

Mid-morning: A teaspoon of cod liver oil in a tablespoon of orange juice.

Dinner: Soft egg, mashed potato, green vegetable, such as spinach or peas, a cup of milk, buttered hard bread and dessert (custard or bread pudding).

Mid-afternoon: Cup of milk and a slice of bread and butter.

Supper: Milk toast and prune pulp.

EDITOR'S NOTE: Four pamphlets and six articles by Dr. Clendening can now be obtained by sending 10 cents in coin for each pamphlet and 2 cents in coin for each article, with a self-addressed, stamped envelope, to Dr. Logan Clendening, in care of this paper or Central Press Association, 1435 East Twelfth street, Cleveland, O. The pamphlets are: "Reducing and Gaining," "Hygiene of Women," "Infant Feeding" and "Instructions for the Treatment of Diabetes." The articles are: "Normal Diet," "Life of Books for Mothers," "Bed Wetting," "Diet of the Expectant Mother," "Ear Troubles" and "Tuberculosis."

Be Thankful For Parents

—By MRS. VIRGINIA LEE

"DEAR VIRGINIA LEE: My parents say I can go with the fellows and when one of my boy friends stops to talk to me they make me come in the house. I'm not a fast girl. Everybody seems to like me. I don't think parents should do that way, do you?"

"I am 15 years old and I'm not a bad looking girl. I go with a boy who is 18, but he doesn't get to come in only every two weeks. So give me good advice about going with boy friends."

"My parents won't even let me go to town with my girl friend Saturday night, so what is a young girl to do? What can I do to make me happy while my boy friend isn't around? I'd like to see this poorly printed letter in your column so it might help some girls who are in the same shape as I am."

"LONESOME BROWN EYES."

All right, glad to oblige, Lonesome Brown Eyes. Here is your letter printed in the column right at the top.

I hope the other girls who "are in the same shape" that you are, as you picturesquely put it, will read and take heed to the very good advice I am about to pour out. The quotation from your letter makes me think of a front page every I read in another paper the other day which referred to a "landscaped artist." I wondered what "shape" she was in.

Now you know, after all, you're only a little girl, and I should judge from your letter, a rather boy crazy little girl, too. Your parents know that girls who wander around the town streets at night—or evenings—unescorted by a man—are liable to be accosted by loafers who think they may make a "pick-up" acquaintance in this way. So they guard you from such undesirable experiences by keeping you at home. I don't call that a hardship, do you?

Of course I know it is natural for a girl of your age to be attracted to the boys, and that is all right, but if you stand and talk with boys a great deal people are likely to make unfattering remarks about you, and that, too, your parents wish to avoid for you. You can't blame them for that, either, can you?

Keep your home and hope that your husband will reform. Help him all you can. If he gets too abusive you may have to leave him, but do what you can to keep your child's father with you and to make a home for both of you.

Mother: Better write to the city clerk of Santa Monica for the information you require.

Consult Skilled Chiropodist

—By GLADYS GLAD

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It is not wise to use

Denison U. Court Quintet Here Thursday

LANG-FALCONS WILL MEET COLLEGIANS; BOOK PRELIMINARY

Varsity Aggregation Expected To Draw Large Crowd

By PHIL FRAME

Denison University's basketball team, which is embarking upon a barnstorming trip through Southern Ohio during the pre-Christmas season, will appear in Xenia Thursday night this week, inaugurating its 1930-31 court season in a game with the Lang Chevrolet Falcons, strong Xenia pro quintet, on the state National Guard armory floor.

This contest, billed as the most attractive independent game to be staged here this season, is expected to draw a large crowd to the armory.

Suggestions from Granville point to the substitution of the title "Hard Luck Hank Bruder" for the regular cognomen of basketball Coach Walter Livingston.

With things at the first of the season evidently sitting pretty, now the loss of Jack McConnell through an appendicitis operation has blasted, at least for the time being, the Baptists' court hopes.

McConnell, for the past two seasons, has taken care of that important section of the basketball court directly about his opponents' basket, and Coach Livingston is temporarily stumped to find anyone to replace him.

Grimes, of Chicago; Rupe, of Tippecanoe City, and Sauer, of Hamilton, seem the most likely prospects to succeed McConnell, but all are small as compared to the former guard's six feet plus.

Nevertheless, Denison will be able to put a particularly strong quintet on the floor against the Falcons, all reports to the contrary notwithstanding, because the Baptists have Scott, Dayton, second highest scorer in the Buckeye Conference last season, with them again this year. Local fans are anxious to get a glimpse of this rangy youth, about whom they heard so much last season.

The Falcons boast a record of two victories and one defeat in three starts to date. It is probable they will not deviate from their regular lineup of Captain "Pinky" Wilson and Bill LeSourd at forwards, "Bulldog" Smith at center and the Putnam brothers, Nolen and Marvin, at guards.

A preliminary between the "Famous Five," another Xenia independent quintet, and the Bowersville Independents will get the card under way at 7:30 o'clock and the main game to follow will be officiated by Howard "Ty" Friegeau, Dayton, popular referee and former major league baseball player.

Indicted for Murder Of Her Husband

From present indications, more than 4,000 fans will be in attendance at Memorial hall, Dayton, Thursday night of this week when the Journal-Herald's charity wrestling entertainment is offered.

The program, one of the biggest mat shows ever offered in that city consists of five bouts with Hy Gandar, Hindu heavyweight wrestler and singer in a concert of popular songs.

Joe Banaski of Wyoming and Cowboy Chick of Texas, are to tangle in the two out of three falls finish bout with no time limit attached. They rank as two of the foremost 175-pounders in the game today and the winner will most likely be declared light heavyweight champion by the Mid-West Wrestling Association.

"Gentle" John Klonis, whose mat activities have always pleased herabouts will appear in a new role. He will referee the main event.

In the semi-windup position is Hardy Kruskamp, former Ohio State football star and Frank Roloff the Australian slammer. Preceding them will be Charlie Santons, the Missouri Mule and Joe Shimkus the Dutch rougher of Worcester, Mass.

Tiny Webster, 230-pounder gets the assignment to face the mysterious Unknown, who offered his services to Jake Frong, sports editor of the Journal. In the other bout, Alan Eustace of Bakersfield, Kans., will tangle with Glenn Wade of Jackson, Miss.

Popular prices of \$1 and \$1.50 will prevail. Tickets can be had by telephoning the Moraine Hotel, Main 7120, Dayton, O., or by addressing the sports editor of the Dayton Journal.

BOWLING

Paced by Bertram, who recorded a fine series of 608, the Xenia Shoes won the odd game in three from the Lang Chevrolets in a Recreation League bowling match Tuesday night. Peters turned in a three-game total of 581 for Langs. Box score:

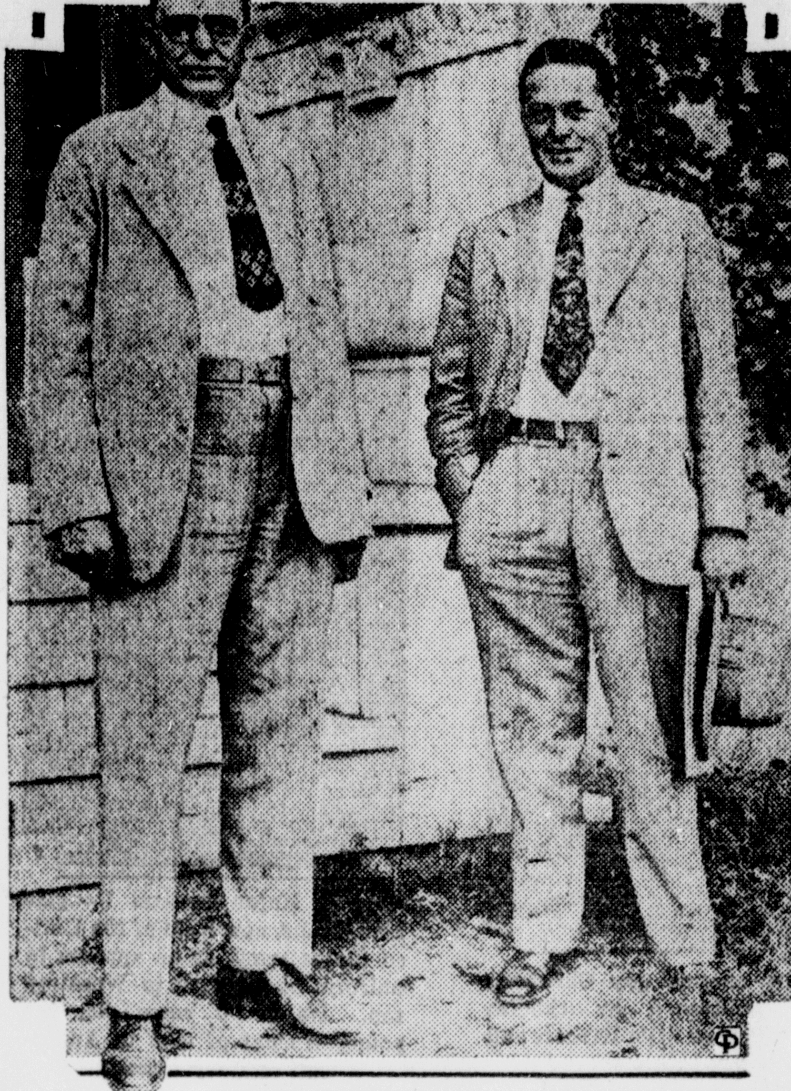
Xenia Shoes			
Moore	176	163	184
Birk	150	155	185
Christ	137	169	184
Luttrell	187	138	167
Bertram	222	199	187
Totals	872	824	897
Lang Chevrolets			
Pickles	149	158	135
Kafory	186	230	149
G. McCoy	228	202	
Peters	186	230	165
D. McCoy	136	161	229
Lang	113	160	181
Totals	812	911	859

TREASURY BALANCE

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Geo. C. Stokes.

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MARKETS

LIVE STOCK

CINCINNATI LIVESTOCK

CINCINNATI, O., Dec. 17.—

Hogs 2,800; headover 230; market

generally steady; light lights weak

to 250 lower, better grade 150 to

230 lbs. largely \$8.50; 240 to 260

lbs. \$8.35 and \$8.40; 270 to 290 lbs.

around \$8.25; 120 to 140 lbs. in-

cluding throwout 150 lbs. or better

\$8.25; bulk sows \$6.75; few smooth

lightweights \$7.00.

Cattle 425; calves 275; market

lower grade steers and heifers

very slow; barely steady; few odd

lots \$5.50@7.50; better grade hand-

ly steady; \$8.50@9.00; better grades

in fair demand at steady terms from

\$8.00@10.00; other classes steady;

most beef cows \$4.50@5.50; few

good to choice \$6.00@6.50; low

cutters and cutters strong; bulk

\$3.00@4.25; bulls mostly \$5.50

down; good and choice vealers

\$9.50@11.00; lower grades mostly

\$6.00@9.00.

Sheep 225; market active, steady

to strong; better grade hand-

weights largely \$5.50@7.50; steady

weight kinds downward to \$6.50;

these showing some improvement;

common and medium \$6.50@7.50;

some up to \$7.50; fat ewes \$2.00

@3.00.

Receipts Tuesday: cattle 992;

calves 37; hogs 4,394; sheep 415.

Shipments Tuesday: cattle 102;

calves 253; hogs 455; sheep none.

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8.75; 250-280 lbs. \$8.50@8.60; 100-

140 lbs \$8.50@8.75; medium to

good sows \$6.75@7.25.

Cattle: receipts 15; no early

sales.

Calves: receipts 25; not enough

offered to test conditions; vealers

steady at \$12.00 down.

Sheep: receipts 800; fat lambs

indications steady to strong;

choice light and handyweights held

around \$8.75.

CHICAGO LIVESTOCK

CHICAGO, Dec. 17.—Hogs—re-

ceipts 27,000; market 10c higher,

top \$8.15; bulk \$7.25@8.10; heavy

weight \$7.70@7.95; medium weight,

\$7.35@8.05; light weights \$7.90@

8.10; light lights, \$8@8.15 packing

sows \$6.75@7.25; pigs, \$7.75@8.15;

holdovers 6,000.

Cattle—receipts 7,500; market

steady. Calves: receipts 2,000;

market steady. Beef steers: good

and choice \$10@12.50; common

and medium \$7@9.50; yearlings \$7

@13.50. Butcher cattle: heifers,

\$5@12; cows \$4@7.50; bulls, \$5@

7.50; calves \$7.50@10; feeder

steers, \$6@8.75; stocker steers \$6

@8.50; stocker cows and heifers,

\$4@7.

Sheep—receipts 18,000; market

steady. Medium and choice lambs

\$7.50@8.50; culls and common \$5-

.50@7; yearlings \$5.50@6.75; com-

mon and choice ewes \$2@3.75;

feeder lambs \$6@7.25.

XENIA LIVESTOCK

All grades \$8.00

Roughs \$5.75@ 6.00

DAYTON LIVESTOCK

HOGS

Receipts, 6 cars; mkt., steady.

Heavies, 275 lbs. up, \$ 7.50 down

Mediums, 225-275 lbs. 8.10

Lights, 150-225 lbs. 7.90

Lights, 130-150 lbs. 8.00

Pigs, 130 lbs. down, 7.00@ 7.50

Light sows 6.50@ 7.00

Rough sows 6.00@ 6.50

Stags 4.00@ 5.00

Unfinished Hogs, 50c to \$1 lower

CATTLE

Receipts, light; mkt., steady.

Veal calves, ext. top, \$10.00 down

Med. Veal calves 9.00 down

Culls 5.00 down

Best butcher steers 7.00@ 8.50

Med. butcher steers 5.00@ 7.00

Best fat heifers 6.00@ 7.00

Medium heifers 4.50@ 5.50

Medium cows 3.50@ 4.50

Best fat cows 4.50@ 5.50

Bologna cows 2.00@ 3.00

Bulls 4.00@ 5.50

SHEEP

Sheep \$2.00@4.00

Spring lambs 6.00@6.50

Seconds 5.00 down

PRODUCE

CHICAGO BUTTER

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@30c.

CLEVELAND PRODUCE

CLEVELAND, Dec. 17.—Butter:

extra, 29c; standards, 28 1/2c;

market, steady; eggs: extra,

28c; firsts, 25c; market, steady;

live poultry: heavy fowls, 22c;

medium fowls, 17@18c; leghorn fowls

16@17c; heavy broilers, 18c;

leghorn broilers, 15@16c; heavy

broilers over 5 lbs., 22@23c; ducks

18@20c; geese, 15@16c; old coo-

13c; turkeys, 31lb@33c; mkt., weak;

apples, per barrel, various var-

ieties, \$5@6; cabbage: medi-

ums: 35 lb. baskets, 35@40c; pota-

atoes: Russets and Round Whites,

\$1.10 for 60 lb. sacks.

Hens, under 4 lbs. 14c
Leghorn hens 16c
Heavy hens 14c
Young geese 12c
Ducks, per pound 12c
Old Roosters, lb. 12c
1930 Colored Fries, 4 lbs. down 16c
and up 16c
Turkeys, pound 25c
WHOLESALE BUTTER

SPORT SNAP SHOTS

FRAMED
by Phil

Girls' basketball promises to be one of the outstanding sports on the indoor athletic program of the Western Region of the Pennsylvania Railroad system this season, the "Pennsylvania News," Western Region editor reports.

Four teams are to perform in the proposed basketball league, representing Chicago General Office, Crestline, Indianapolis and Xenia. This will give the northern section an equal number, which is expected to add to the spirit of competition.

George Moyer, Cincinnati's all-around athlete, and Brakeman Paul Fuller, Xenia, are behind the plan to place a girls' basketball team in the field here. Xenia employees, their families and friends plan to boost the local girls to the limit. Regional Chairman Henderson made a trip here recently to assist in getting things started.

The Chicago General Office team will be composed almost entirely of girl employees while the Crestline, Xenia and Indianapolis teams will depend on daughters of employees. It is planned to open the season about the middle of January.

The Chicago General Office girls have been holding practice sessions for the last two months and the manager, anxious to see his feminine players in action against other teams, is now booking contests with local quintets there, the first tilt having been won last week. The coach of the team has been putting his charges through their paces and is said to be well pleased with the manner in which the girls have grasped the plays. The G. O. five also promises to be an able scoring team.

The 1930-31 Crestline girls' team should be a far better club than last season's quintet, the News has learned, and it is recalled last season's quintet was a clever outfit. The 1929-30 club gave the system champion girls of Cleveland the greatest fight of their lives and lost by only one point. The score was 9 to 8, and shortly before the final whistle Crestline was out in front, 4 to 7.

The News says: "The Crestline athletic organization has perfected a smooth-working outfit and is backing the girls' basketball team 100 per cent. 'Look out for Crestline,' is the new slogan."

Paul A. Kriesche, chairman of athletics on the Indianapolis division, is the leading spirit in the organization of plans for an Indianapolis girls' team. "Kriesche," the News declares, "has a reputation for completing any athletic program he starts; so all in all things look bright for a regional girls' basketball league."

From present indications, more than 4,000 fans will be in attendance at Memorial hall, Dayton, Thursday night of this week when the Journal-Herald's charity wrestling entertainment is offered.

The program, one of the biggest mat shows ever offered in that city consists of five bouts with Hy Gandar, Hindu heavyweight wrestler and singer in a concert of popular songs.

Joe Banaski of Wyoming and Cowboy Chick of Texas, are to tangle in the two out of three falls finish bout with no time limit attached. They rank as two of the foremost 175-pounders in the game today and the winner will most likely be declared light heavyweight champion by the Mid-West Wrestling Association.

"Gentle" John Kilonis, whose mat activities have always pleased hereabouts will appear in a new role. He will referee the main event.

In the semi-windup position is Hardy Kruskamp, former Ohio State football star and Frank Roloff the Australian slammer. Preceding them will be Charlie Santons, the Missouri mule and Joe Shimkus the Dutch rougher of Worcester, Mass.

Tiny Webster, 230-pounder gets the assignment to face the Mystery Unknown, who offers him his services to Jake Prong, sports editor of the Journal. In the other bout, Alan Eustace of Bakersfield, Kans., will tangle with Glenn Wade of Jackson, Miss.

Popular prices of \$1 and \$1.50 will prevail. Tickets can be had by telephoning the Moraine Hotel, Main 7120, Dayton, O., or by addressing the sports editor of the Dayton Journal.

BOWLING

Paced by Bertram, who recorded a fine series of 608, the Xenia Shoes won the odd game in three from the Lang Chevrolet in a Recreation League bowling match Tuesday night. Peters turned in a three-game total of 581 for Langs.

Box score:
Xenia Shoes.
Moore 176 163 184
Birk 150 155 186
Christ 137 169 184
Luttrell 187 138 167
Bertram 222 199 187

Totals 872 824 897
Lang Chevrolets.
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Indicted for Murder Of Her Husband



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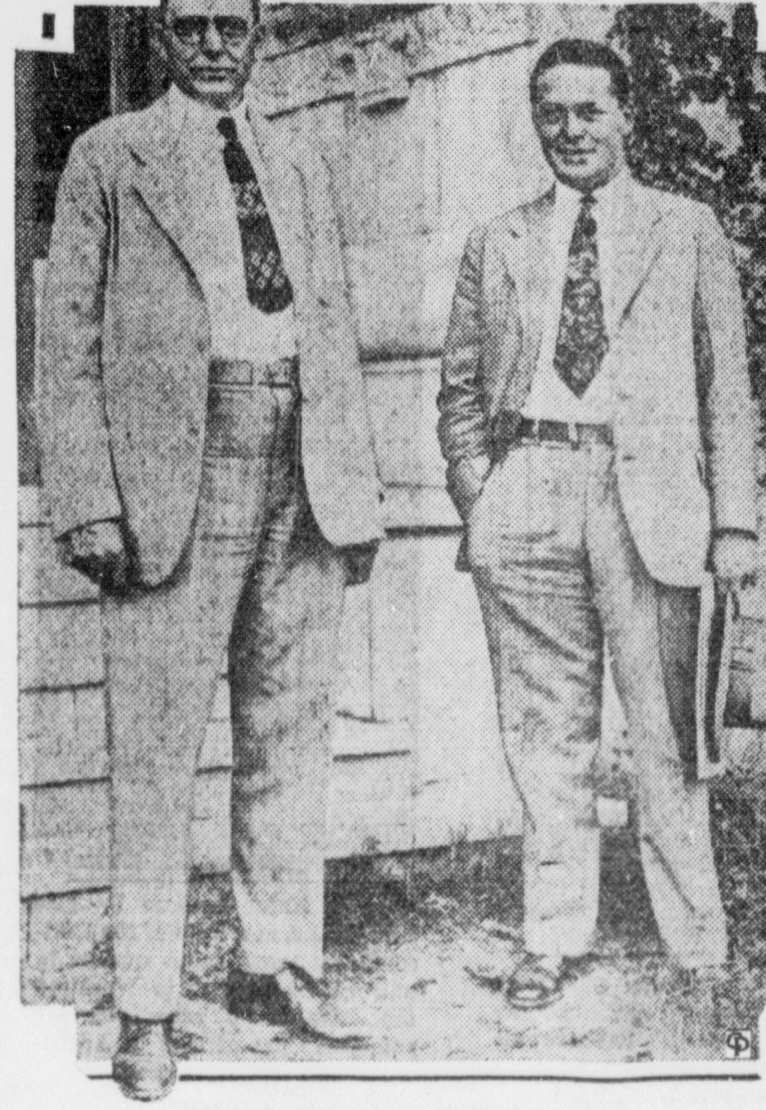
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Cattle—receipts 7,500; market steady. Calves: receipts 2,000; market steady. Beef steers: good and choice \$10 to \$12.50; common and medium \$7 to \$9.50; yearlings \$7 to \$13.50. Butcher cattle: heifers \$5 to \$12; cows \$4 to \$7.50; bulls \$5 to \$7.50; calves \$7.50 to \$10; feeder steers \$6 to \$8.75; stocker steers \$6 to \$8.50; stocker cows and heifers \$4 to \$7.

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CATTLE

Receipts, light; mkt., steady. Veal calves, ext. top, \$10.00 down. Med. Veal calves, 9.00 down. Culls, 5.00 down. Best butcher steers, 7.00 to 8.50. Med. butcher steers, 5.00 to 7.00. Best fat heifers, 6.00 to 7.00. Medium heifers, 4.50 to 5.50. Medium cows, 3.50 to 4.50. Best fat cows, 4.50 to 5.50. Bologna cows, 2.00 to 3.00. Bulls, 4.00 to 5.50.

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16 to 17c; heavy broilers, 18c; leghorn broilers, 15 to 16c; heavy broilers over 5 lbs., 22 to 23c; ducks 18 to 20c; geese, 15 to 16c; old coops 13c; turkeys, 31 to 33c; mkt. weak; apples, per barrel, various varieties, \$5 to \$6; cabbage: mediums, 35 lb. baskets, 35 to 40c; potatoes: Russets and Round Whites, \$1.10 for 60 lb. sacks.

DAYTON PRODUCE

WHOLESALE EGGS

Fresh eggs, dozen 32c
Storage eggs, per dozen 26c

Retail Price

Dressed hens, per pound 35c
Country butter, pound 40c
Creamery butter, pound 36c
Eggs, per dozen 35c
Dressed Ducks, per pound 33c
1930 Fries, pound 33c
Dressed Turkeys, (wholesale), lb. 45c
Dressed Turkeys (retail) lb. 50c
Turkeys, lb. 40c
Geese, per pound 30c

Prices Paid at Plant

Hens, 4 lbs. up, lb. 16c

Hens, under 4 lbs. 14c
Leghorn hens 10c
Young geese 10c
Ducks, per pound 13c
Old Roosters, lb. 13c
1930 Colored Fries, 4 lbs. down 16c
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Turkeys, pound 25c
WHOLESALE BUTTER

(By Miami Valley Co-operative Milk Producers Ass'n)

Butter, lb. 35c
XENIA PRODUCE

Live Poultry and Eggs

(Corrected Daily by Greene Bros., 524 W. Second St., Xenia, O.)

Eggs, dozen, paying 21c
Heavy hens 17c
Stags and Slips 14c
Fries, 3 lbs. up 17c
Old Roosters, lb. 13c
Ducks, 5 lbs. up 12c
Young Geese 12c
Hen Turkeys, young, 8 lbs. up 28c
Young Toms, 10 to 15 lbs. 28c
Old Turkeys 21c
Capons, 8 lbs. up 23c

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Come at 7:30
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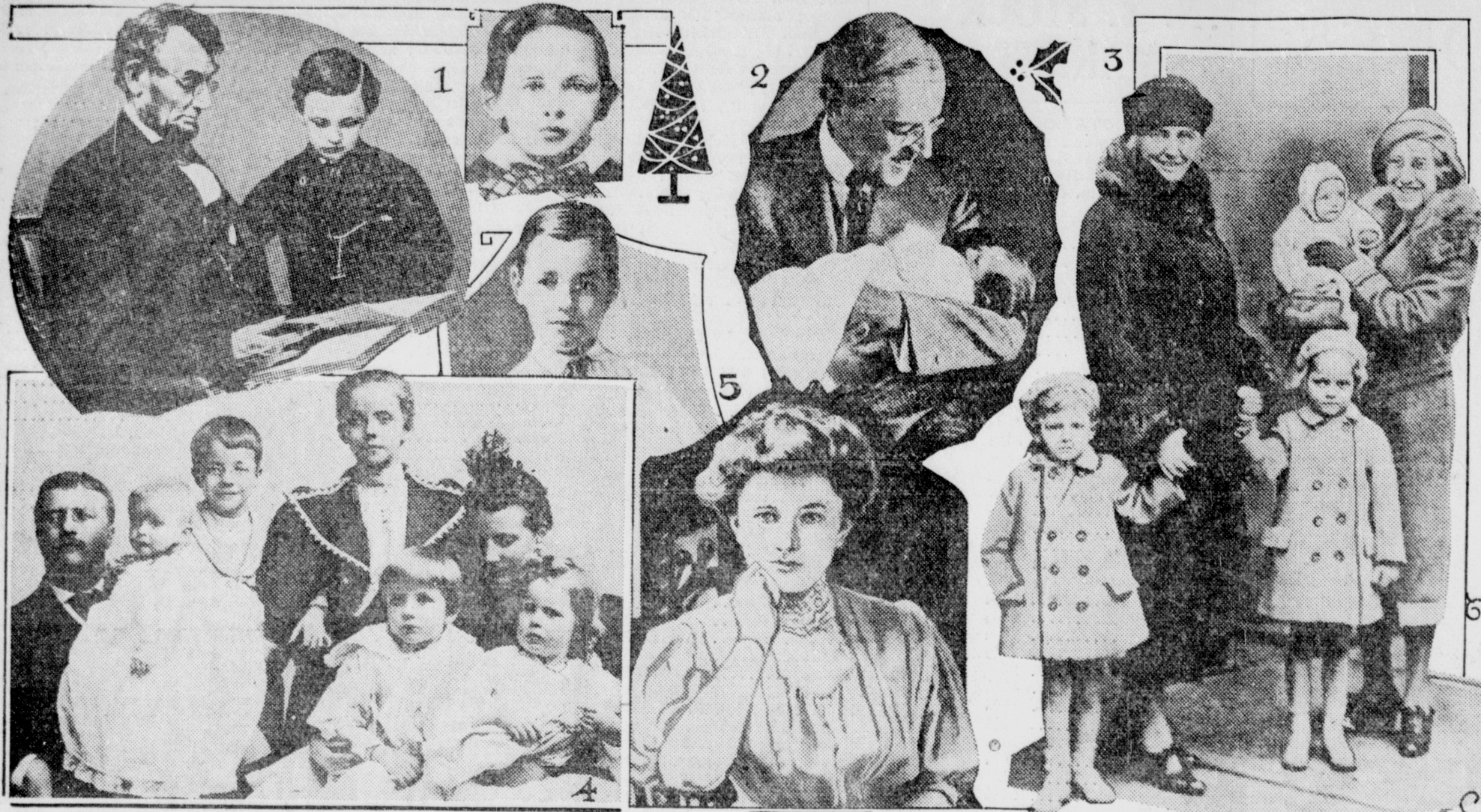
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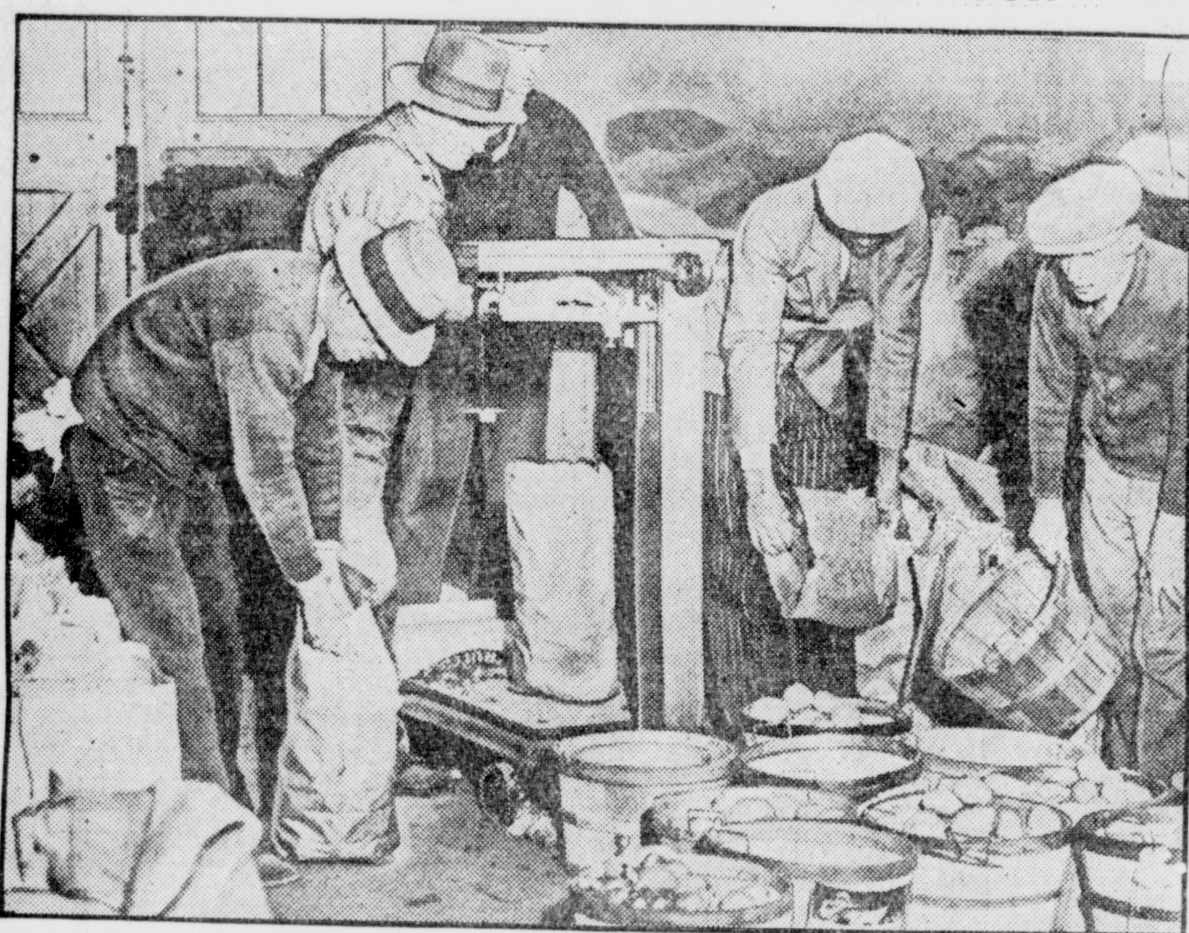
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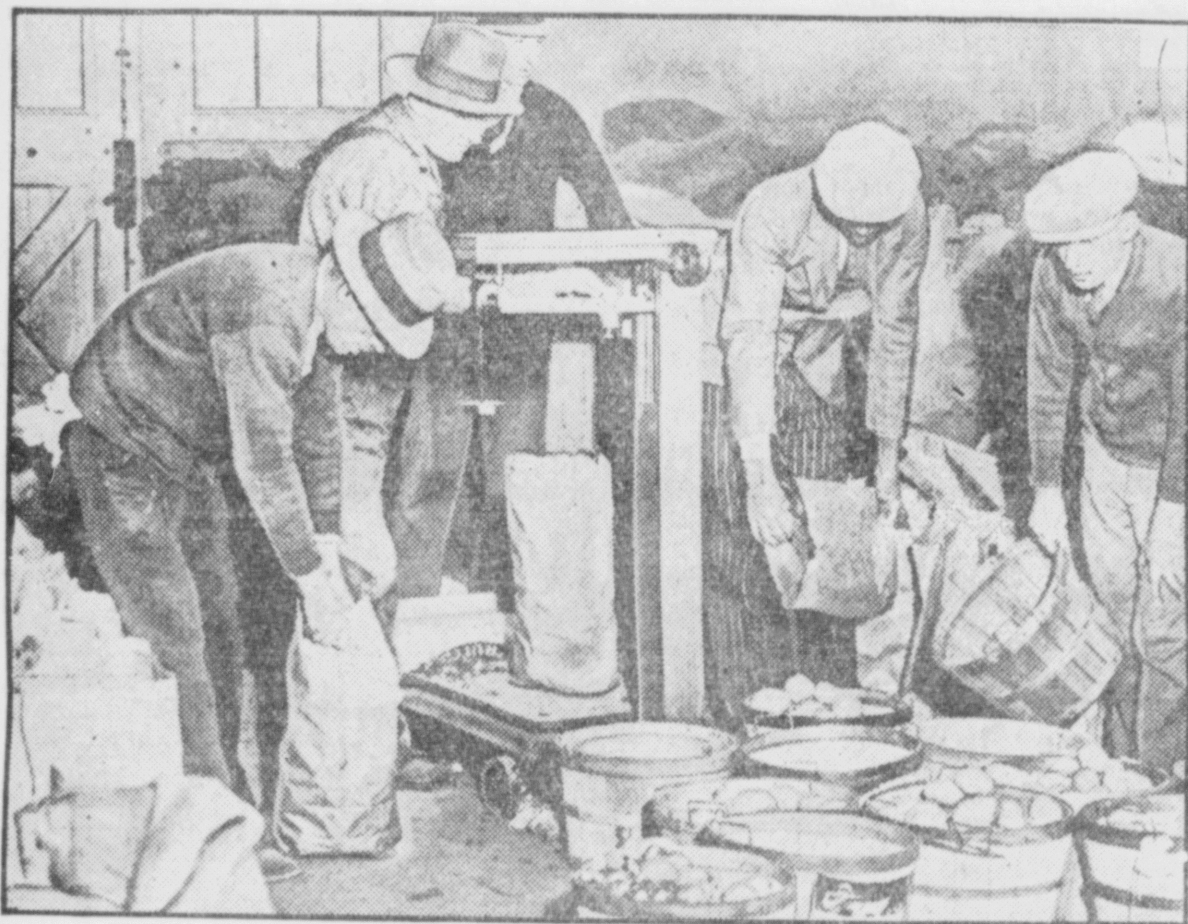
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Three men were killed and three others wounded in the running gun battle fought between the five

bank robbers and police over fifty miles of Indiana and Illinois highways and ending in a cornfield near here.

The two dead gunmen were identified as Thomas Bell, Alias Mann, 42, of Pittsburgh and G. W. Lindley, believed to be a Chicago gangster. Deputy Sheriff Joseph Walker, 55, of Dana, Ind., a member of the pursuing posse, was fatally wounded during the conflict.

The wounded included F. W. Gilbert of Dana, Ind., who was forced to drive the bandits in his truck; E. L. Hunter, driver of the bank robbers car, and Walter Burnside of Clinton, a patrolman.

A fourth bandit, William Long, surrendered while the fifth man was captured in a corn crib.

Firing a steady stream of bullets from three submachine guns, the bandits were able to keep their pursuers at a safe distance throughout most of the fifty mile race.

The \$13,000 loot, part of which was in gold coin, was recovered when the gunmen surrendered.

RIOTS RESULT IN 200 HURT

BERLIN, Dec. 17.—Two hundred persons were injured in Bucharest today when police clashed with a mob of 5,000 anti-Semitic students attempting to invade the royal palace to protest against King Carol's sympathy with Roumanian Jews. Eighty were arrested by police who blocked the streets leading to the palace before the students were dispersed.

One student and one policeman were reported seriously hurt.

The students paraded noisily through the main thoroughfare, announcing they would force King Carol to grant them an audience. Thwarted in carrying out this intention by a strong Cordon of police, they shouted "Down with Lupescu" and attacked the police.

Shots cracked on both sides and a pitched battle developed. Diverted from their march to the palace, the anti-Semitic demonstrators attempted to storm police headquarters and later invaded the free Masonic Lodge, partly demolishing the interior.

Police finally succeeded in restoring order.

LANDS UNDER KNIFE

CHICAGO, Dec. 17.—Commissioner of Baseball Kenesaw M. Landis was reported in good condition today following a minor operation last night at Presbyterian Hospital. Dr. Vernon C. David performed the operation and afterward said his patient was doing well.

OIL OFFICIAL DIES

FINDLAY, O., Dec. 17.—William B. Filson, 61, assistant secretary of the Ohio Oil Co., died at his home here today from complications. He had been ill for three months.

NOTE SUIT FILED; LOCAL COURT NEWS

Suit for \$258.83, alleged due on a promissory note, has been filed in Common Pleas Court by Charles Fasig and Ruth Fasig against Perry E. Tippy and Mary E. Tippy. Ruey F. Hodapp, Dayton, is attorney for the plaintiffs.

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Silk Robes
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erty at \$48,500, free of the plaintiff's dower, has been approved by the court in the case of Flora Hauck against Dorothy Hauck, minor, and others in Common Pleas Court.

The plaintiff, widow of Emil Hauck, deceased, is entitled to one-half interest in the property, cash value of her dower interest being \$9,150. Notes and mortgages held by three companies were ordered cancelled by payment of \$15,527.14 to The Prudential Insurance Co. of America, \$5,177.78 to The Metropolitan Life Insurance Co. and \$25,727.44 to The Peoples Building and Savings Co. as full settlement of its claim of \$33,668.90.

JAMESTOWN

Under the management of the Ministers' Association of Jamestown, the third annual Christmas cantata, "The Holy Child," by Carrie Adams, will be given next Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock and again at 8, in the Methodist church. This cantata choir consists of singers from the different choirs of Jamestown, under the leadership of Mr. R. G. George, who has so efficiently trained for other cantatas. There are forty-

three singers, and Mrs. C. T. Walker, presiding at the organ. There will be an organ and piano duet by Mrs. Walker and Miss Harriet Reader at the opening of the program. An offering to defray expenses will be received at each service. The association wishes you one and all a "Merry Christmas" and will be pleased to welcome you on the above occasion.

Mrs. A. J. Barnes was hostess Monday afternoon to members of the Advance Club. Responses were Bible verses, "Different Religions and Their Origin" by Mrs. J. S. Turnbull, "Religion Conditions in America," by Mrs. R. G. George, "The Days of Country Churches," by Mrs. C. C. Mauck, "Will the Protestant Churches Unite?" by Mrs. Willis McDorman.

At a meeting of the local Pythian Sisters which was held last Tuesday night, the following officers were elected: "M. E. C." Mrs. Nettie Hopkins; "Ex-Sr." Louise Skyles; "Ex. Jr." Cleo Goodbar; "Manager," Mrs. Martha Tressler; "Guard," Mrs. Morgan Johnson; "Protector," Mrs. Thurman Tidd; "Mrs. of Finance," Mrs. Bliss Llenurance; "M. of R. C." Sarah Skyles; "Past Chief," Mrs. Eliza Parker; "Mrs. of Works," Mrs. Alva Thomas; "Trustees," Mrs. Jennie Leurance, Mrs. W. E. Reid, Mrs. Frank Doster; "Captain

of Degree Staff," Mrs. Mary Moon; "Planist," Sarah Skyles.

The Home Missionary Society will hold their regular meeting Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Charles Reeder.

Class No. 7 of the M. E. Church held their regular meeting Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. M. H. Klatt, with the November and December groups as hostesses. A very interesting Christmas program was given after which a delicious salad course was served. Forty-three members were present and Mrs. W. A. St. John and daughter, Mrs. William Collins as guests.

Mrs. Julia Beale and daughter, Clara were visitor in Dayton Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Jenks and family attended the Beam family reunion which was held Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Beam in Sabina.

Miss Donna Pauline, Bryan of Cedarville was the week end guest of her sister, Mrs. Karl Robinson.

Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Jones had as their week end guests, the Misses Dorothy and Francis Johnson of Xenia and Mr. James Devitt of London.

Mrs. Hattie Teeters of Xenia, and Mr. Arthur Teeters of Dayton, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Francis Clark and family.

Mrs. Gene Cameron of Urbana,

spent Friday with Dr. and Mrs. A. V. Whitehead.

Mr. Charles Hatch and daughter Phyllis spent Sunday with friends in Dayton.

Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Little of Dayton were guests Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bert Long.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Turnbull left last week for Rock Baths, Va., where they will spend some time with the latter's parents.

Mrs. Clara Crost of Springfield, who has been the house guest of Mrs. Julia Beale and daughter Miss Clara, returned home Sunday.

Mr. Archie Gordon received word of the death of his sister,

Mrs. Emma Miller which occurred Sunday at her home in Helm, Ill.

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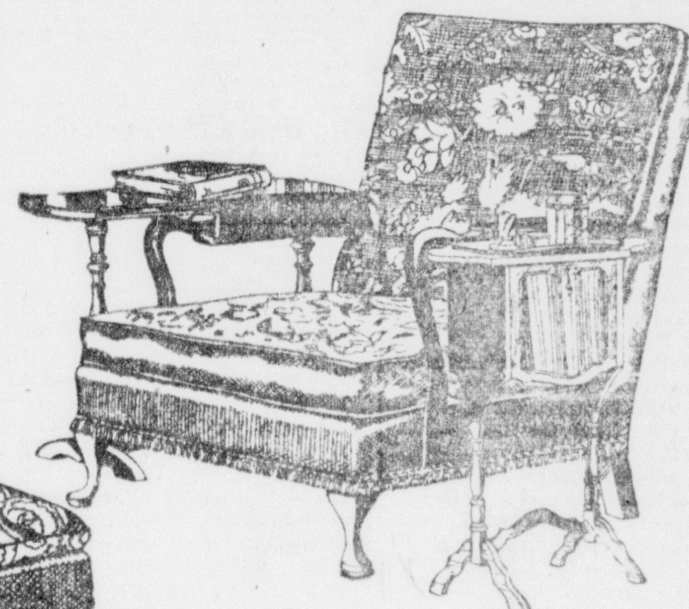
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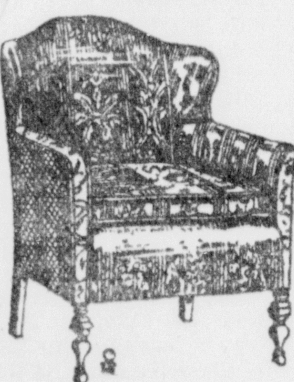
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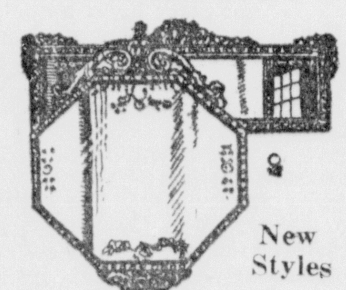
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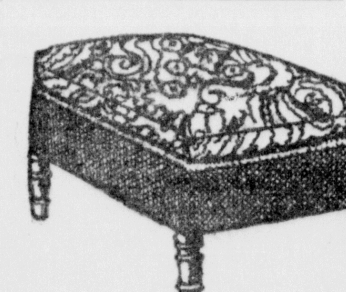
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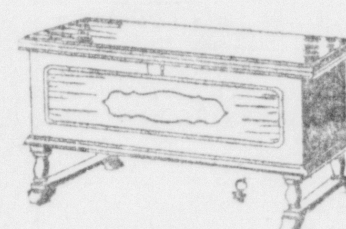
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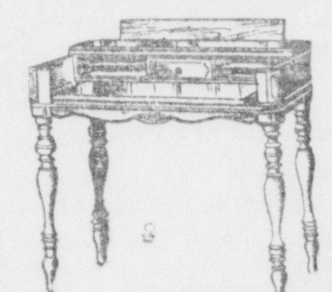
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With Backs

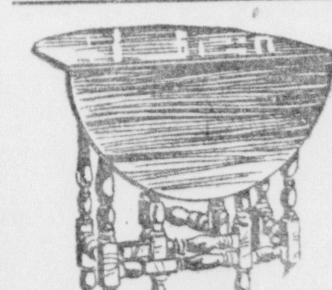
Richly Designed
Cedar Chests



Red Cedar
and
Walnut Chests
\$12, \$16, \$22.50,
\$25, \$35



Spinnet Desks
\$16.00 and up



DROP-LEAF
TABLES
Solid Walnut
\$22.50

GALLOWAY & CHERRY

IDENTIFY BANK BANDITS SLAIN BY POSSE FOLLOWING ROBBERY

SIDELL, Ill., Dec. 17.—Through finger prints authorities today were able to identify two machine gun bandits who were slain in a pitched battle with possmen following the robbery of the Citizens State Bank of Clinton, Ind.

Three men were killed and three others wounded in the running gun battle fought between the five

bank robbers and police over fifty miles of Indiana and Illinois highways and ending in a cornfield near here.

The two dead gunmen were identified as Thomas Bell, Alias Mann, 42, of Pittsburgh and G. W. Lindley, believed to be a Chicago gangster. Deputy Sheriff Joseph Walker, 55, of Dana, Ind., a member of the pursuing posse, was fatally wounded during the conflict.

The wounded included F. W. Gilbert of Dana, Ind., who was forced to drive the bandits in his truck; E. L. Hunter, driver of the bank robbers car, and Walter Burnside of Clinton, a patrolman.

A fourth bandit, William Long, surrendered while the fifth man was captured in a corn crib. Firing a steady stream of bullets from three submachine guns, the bandits were able to keep their pursuers at a safe distance throughout most of the fifty mile race.

The \$13,000 loot, part of which was in gold coin, was recovered when the gunmen surrendered.

RIOTS RESULT IN 200 HURT

BERLIN, Dec. 17.—Two hundred persons were injured in Bucharest today when police clashed with a mob of 5,000 anti-Semitic students attempting to invade the royal palace to protest against King Carol's sympathy with Roumanian Jews.

Eighty were arrested by police who blocked the streets leading to the palace before the students were dispersed.

One student and one policeman were reported seriously hurt.

The students paraded noisily through the main thoroughfare, announcing they would force King Carol to grant them an audience. Thwarted in carrying out this intention by a strong Cordon of police, they shouted "Down with Lupescu" and attacked the police.

Shots cracked on both sides and a pitched battle developed. Diverted from their march to the palace, the anti-Semitic demonstrators attempted to storm police headquarters and later invaded the free Masonic Lodge, partly demolishing the interior.

Police finally succeeded in restoring order.

LANDIS UNDER KNIFE

CHICAGO, Dec. 17.—Commissioner of Baseball Kenesaw M. Landis was reported in good condition today following a minor operation last night at Presbyterian Hospital. Dr. Vernon C. David performed the operation and afterward said his patient was doing well.

OIL OFFICIAL DIES

FINDLAY, O., Dec. 17.—William B. Filson, 61, assistant secretary of the Ohio Oil Co., died at his home here today from complications. He had been ill for three months.

erty at \$48,500, free of the plaintiff's dower, has been approved by the court in the case of Flora Hauck against Dorothy Hauck, minor, and others in Common Pleas Court.

The plaintiff, widow of Emil Hauck, deceased, is entitled to one-half interest in the property, cash value of her dower interest being \$9,150. Notes and mortgages held by three companies were ordered cancelled by payment of \$15,527.14 to The Prudential Insurance Co. of America, \$5,177.78 to The Metropolitan Life Insurance Co. and \$25,727.44 to The Peoples Building and Savings Co. as full settlement of its claim of \$33,668.90.

JAMESTOWN

Under the management of the Ministers' Association of Jamestown, the third annual Christmas cantata, "The Holy Child," by Carrie Adams, will be given next Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock and again at 8, in the Methodist church. This cantata choir consists of singers from the different churches of Jamestown, under the leadership of Mr. R. G. George, who has so efficiently trained for other cantatas. There are forty-

three singers, and Mrs. C. T. Walker, presiding at the organ. There will be an organ and piano duet by Mrs. Walker and Miss Harriet Reeder at the opening of the program. An offering to defray expenses will be received at each service. The association wishes you one and all a "Merry Christmas" and will be pleased to welcome you on the above occasion.

Mrs. A. J. Barnes was hostess Monday afternoon to members of the Advance Club. Responses were Bible verses, "Different Religions and Their Origin," by Mrs. J. S. Turnbull, "Religion Conditions in America," by Mrs. R. G. George, "The Days of Country Churches," by Mrs. C. C. Mauck, "Will the Protestant Churches Unite?" by Mrs. Willis McDorman.

At a meeting of the local Pythian Sisters which was held last Tuesday night, the following officers were elected: "M. E. C." Mrs. Nettie Hopkins; "Ex-Sr." Louise Skyles; "Ex. Jr." Cleo Goodbar; "Manager," Mrs. Martha Tressler; "Guard," Mrs. Morgan Johnson; "Protector," Mrs. Thurman Tidd; "Mrs. of Finance," Mrs. Bliss Leunance; "M. of R. C." Sarah Skyles; "Past Chief," Mrs. Elizabeth Parker; "Mrs. of Works," Mrs. Alva Thomas; "Trustees," Mrs. Jennie Leunance, Mrs. W. E. Reid, Mrs. Frank Doster; "Captain

of Degree Staff," Mrs. Mary Moon; "Planist," Sarah Skyles.

The Home Missionary Society will hold their regular meeting Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Charles Reeder.

Class No. 7 of the M. E. Church held their regular meeting Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. M. H. Klatt, with the November and December groups as hostesses. A very interesting Christmas program was given after which a delicious salad course was served.

Forty-three members were present and Mrs. W. A. St. John and daughter, Mrs. William Collins as guests. Mrs. Julia Beale and daughter, Clara were visitor in Dayton Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Jenks and family attended the Beam family reunion which was held Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Beam in Sabina.

spent Friday with Dr. and Mrs. A. Y. Whitehead.

Mr. Charles Hatch and daughter Phyllis spent Sunday with friends in Dayton.

Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Little of Dayton were guests Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bert Long.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Turnbull left last week for Rock Baths, Va., where they will spend some time with the latter's parents.

Mrs. Clara Crost of Springfield, who has been the house guest of Mrs. Julia Beale and daughter Miss Clara, returned home Sunday.

Mr. Archie Gordon received word of the death of his sister.

Getting Up Nights

If Getting Up Nights, Backache, frequent day calls, Leg Pains, Nervousness, or Burning, due to functional Bladder Irritation, in acid conditions, makes you feel tired, depressed and discouraged, try the Cystex Test. Works fast, starts circulating thru the system in 15 minutes. Priced by thousands for rapid and positive action. Don't give up. Try Cystex (pronounced Siss-tex) today, under the Iron-Clad Guarantee. Must quickly slay these conditions. Improve restful sleep and energy, or money back. Special only 54c at D. D. Jones.

Mrs. Emma Miller which occurred Sunday at her home in Helm, Ill. Mrs. Ralph Glass and daughter, Jean, were Dayton visitors Saturday.

Dr. and Mrs. A. Y. Whitehead were guests Sunday and Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Marshall in Columbus.

Mrs. Hazel Palmer of Cassopolis, who will succeed John

Baughn as manager of the Greene County Journal arrived here Monday and will assume her new duties at once.

Mrs. Beale Toland Wright spent last week with relatives in Cincinnati.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bennington of Huntington, Ind., were week end guests with Mrs. Sarah Holingsworth.

ORPHIUM

TONIGHT AND THURSDAY, MATINEES 2:15

"The Talk of Hollywood"

An all talking, singing, dancing musical comedy drama Starring NAT CARR, famous stage comedian with Fay Marbe and AL GOODMAN'S Orchestra.

ALSO

Rudy Vallee

In a 3 reel musical comedy "CAMPUS SWEET-HEARTS" and Pathe News

NOTE SUIT FILED; LOCAL COURT NEWS

Suit for \$258.83, alleged due on a promissory note, has been filed in Common Pleas Court by Charles Fasig and Ruth Fasig against Perry E. Tippy and Mary E. Tippy. Ruey F. Hodapp, Dayton, is attorney for the plaintiffs.

CONFIRM APPRAISAL
Partition of real estate has been refused but appraisal of the prop-

HAVE YOU SEEN THE New Dishes

With square plates. These would make a lovely gift for Mother.

32 Pc. \$9.50

E. B. Curtis

38 E. Main St.

GIFTS for the HOME

MAKE THE MERRIEST CHRISTMAS



Floor Lamps
\$4.50 up to \$25.00

Table Lamps
Beautiful Pottery Bases with new attractive shades.
\$6.75

Pull Up Chairs
Attractive Chairs upholstered in long wearing tapestries and velours.
\$12.75

Writing Desks
For Children
Oak Desk with chair to match \$6.75

Wheel Goods
For children — Scooters with balloon tires, at \$3.50
Velocipedes \$3.15 up
Wagons \$4.50
Race Cycles \$10.95
Kiddie Cars \$3.50

Lamp Shades
Bridge Shades 59c
Table Lamp Shades at \$2.75
Floor Lamp shades at almost any price you might desire.

For Christmas Morning

COXWELL CHAIRS

Large Roomy Chairs upholstered in fine Tapestry, or velour \$32.50

Solid Mahogany Frames in Linen Frieze and mohair. \$42.50

Smoker
A Very Attractive Stand at \$4.50
Cabinets at \$7.50 up

Magazine Racks
In Walnut. \$2.95

Occasional Tables
Walnut or Mahogany \$9.50

Ferneries
Various colors in Fibre \$3.50

Sewing Cabinets
Solid Mahogany Priscillas \$6.00
Solid Walnut Martha Washingtons \$18.75

Mirrors \$9.75

High Chairs
\$2.75 up to \$9.50

XMAS SPECIAL
On Electric Washers
\$69.50
EICHMAN'S



Kriss Kringle Plays the Bag Pipe this year

Thrifty Gifts for Men
\$1 to \$3

Certainly be thrifty. With all the jokes on him, the Scotchman is the smart fellow in the end.

This Christmas, it's stylish to be thrifty and if you will choose from a stock that has been planned to give you more style per dollar, everyone on your list can have a fine Christmas without leaving you with an after-holiday headache.

Beautiful Neckwear at	\$1.00
Woolen and Silk Hosiery	\$1.00
Belt Sets	\$3.00
Mufflers	\$1.50
Shirts	\$1.95
Pajamas	\$3.00
Gloves	\$2.50
Suspenders	\$1.00

The Criterion
Value First Clothiers
INC.

28 S. Detroit St. Xenia, Ohio

Silk Robes
\$7 to \$15

Pajama Robes
\$3.00 to \$5

CHRISTMAS Lay-Aways Made On Small Deposits

SPECIAL Silk Pillows
\$1.00 and \$2.95

See Our Stock Of Handsome Chairs

RUGS
THE PRACTICAL AND BEAUTIFUL
CHRISTMAS GIFT

Reversible Chenille. Beautiful Pastel shades \$5.50

27x54 Axminsters, \$2.75 and \$4.00

9x12 Axminsters. New designs. Just arrived \$32.50

9x12 Sandura Rugs. Best finish made \$12.50

9x12 Royal Wiltons. The long wearing kind \$90

11-3x12 Axminsters. High grade quality and good selection of patterns \$52.50

DRAPERIES
MAKE LOVELY GIFTS

Beautiful Crestones 25c to \$1.25

50 in. Rayon Casement, per yd. \$1.25

50 in. Damask, per yard \$2.00

Monks Cloth, per yd. 75c

50 in. Crewel Embroidery, per yd. \$4.00

Printed Linens, per yd. \$1.25

36 in. and 50 in. Sateen Lining, yd. 35c & 75c

SPECIAL
Card Tables \$1.49
Kitchen Stools \$1.49
With Backs

Richly Designed Cedar Chests

Red Cedar and Walnut Chests
\$12, \$16, \$22.50, \$25, \$35

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DEAD STOCK

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3 Florists; Monuments

CHRYSANTHEMUMS — and Poinsettias. All colors. Reasonable prices. Also tulips, hyacinths and crocus bulbs. R. O. Douglas. Phone 549-W.

7 Lost and Found

FOUND—Girl's woolen glove. Owner call at Gazette.

LOST—Sometime since December 1, pair of rimless spectacles, white gold frame. Reward. Margarette M. Williams, 120 N. College St., Yellow Springs, Ph. 137.

12 Roofing, Plumbing

PIPES—Valves and fittings for all purposes. BOCKLET'S line of plumbing and heating supplies are the best. The Bocklet-King Co., 415 W. Main St.

17 Commercial Hauling

MOVING—GENERAL TRUCKING—Lowest rates in city. G. C. Menhahn, 214 West Main St.

MOVING, STORAGE—general trucking. Lowest rates. Lang Transfer. Phone 728. Second and Detroit Sts.

24 Dogs—Canaries—Pets

CANARIES FOR SALE—Good singers. An ideal Christmas present. Miss Ella McIlroy, 218 High St.

25 Poultry—Eggs—Supplies

YOUNG GESE and roasting chickens. Phone 1242-W.

DRESSED TURKEYS for Christmas. Call Chas. Kinsey, Phone Co. 71-F-4.

PULLETS FOR SALE—25 Black Minorcas, 50 White Rocks, 50 Rhode Island Reds, 50 White Wyandots, 50 Barred Rocks, H. B. Creswell, Cedarville, O. Ph. 3-192

ALL KINDS of poultry. Phone Jamestown 21 on 142. Owen Clemans.

50 PURE BRED Barred Rock pullets, blood-tested, \$1 each. Also a few extra nice cockerels. Mrs. Chas. Faulkner. Phone 85-F-11.

26 Horses—Cattle—Hogs

EXTRA GOOD Shropshire rams. Phone 1, Spring Valley Exchange.

FOR SALE—Registered Jersey bull. T. B. and blood tested. Wm. Atkinson, Ph. 82-F-13.

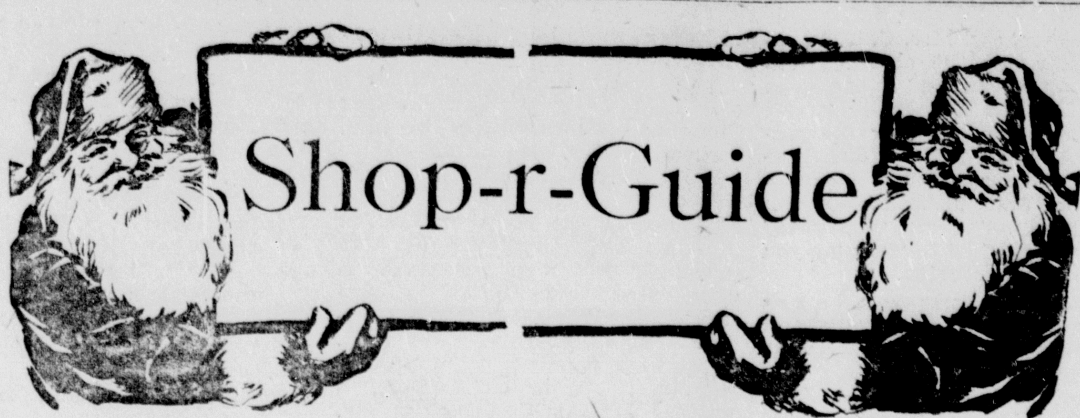
27 Wanted To Buy

WANTED—Sour cream. Highest cash price. Wolf's Dairy, rear of 220 S. Whiteman St. Ph. 194.

28 Miscellaneous For Sale

WE RE-BUILD and re-charge all makes of batteries. Carroll-Binder Co., E. Main St.

FUDGE AND SONS wrecking yard. 50, Collier St. Good price paid for your old car.



Gifts For The Home

FOR BEAUTIFUL CHINA
CHARTERS JEWELRY
STORE
E. Main St.

A SUBSCRIPTION to a good magazine makes an ideal Christmas gift. Order from Ralph Wallace. Ph. 1127-R.

"THE LITTLE GENERAL"—\$57.50 less tubes—Creation of General Motors Radio. Bales Motor Sales.

ELECTRIC KITCHEN Clocks—\$5.00. Tiffany Jewelry Store.

CHRISTMAS CARDS and Yuletide novelties at L. S. Barnes, Green St. Buy the latest magazines here.

A GIFT for the whole family—A radio from Eichman's.

BUY The Choicest Christmas trees from Abe Hyman. Perfect trees—prices right.

YULETIDE TIME is family group time. Get them together for a photo that will always be appreciated. Wheeler Studio.

FLASHLIGHTS
95 cents
MILLER ELECTRIC
W. Main St.

WHILE SHOPPING why not lunch and order your Christmas Goodies at Mrs. Fred Stephens, Dakin Bldg.

59 Auction Sales
PUBLIC SALE—The Edward Schauer farm, located one mile west of Yellow Springs, Ohio, on Friday, Dec. 19, 1930, beginning at 11:00 o'clock. 2 head of horses; 9 head of cattle; 4 head of hogs; five Duroc sows, bred; 35 full pigs, good ones; full line of farm implements; miscellaneous—Five A-shape hog cubs; small hen house, wind wheel with 30-ft. tower, complete in good condition; feed cooker, large size; 10 rd. of hog fence; milk cans; milk cooler; cream separator; 20 ducks; 10 geese; some household goods and junk and many other articles too numerous to mention. Terms: cash. Charles Birtle, Welkert & Gordon, Auctioneers, H. L. Hackett and John Williams, clerks.

60 Horses, Cows, Etc.
DEAD STOCK
We Pay Top Prices
FOR
HORSES AND COWS
Of Size
Call 454
Xenia Fertilizer and Tankage Co.

HATS CLEANED & REBLOCKED
LOWEST PRICES
VALET PRESS SHOP

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT
Estate of George Garver, Deceased.
Morris D. Rice has been appointed and qualified as administrator of the estate of George Garver, late of Greene County, Ohio, deceased. Dated this 16th day of December, 1930.

S. C. WRIGHT
Probate Judge of said County.
31-12-17-24-31.

Notice Of Appointment
Estate of George Stephens, Deceased.
Mary E. Stephens has been appointed and qualified as Executor of the estate of George Stephens, late of Greene County, Ohio, deceased. Dated this 8th day of December, 1930.

S. C. WRIGHT
Probate Judge of said County.
31-12-10-17-24.

SHERIFF'S SALE
Village Property
The Peoples Building and Savings Co. vs. Creighton Stumbaugh, et al. Greene County Common Pleas Court. Case No. 1930-30. Order of Sale. In pursuance of an order issued from the Common Pleas Court, within and for the County of Greene, and State of Ohio, made at the October term thereof, A. D. 1930, and to me directed, I will offer for sale at Public Auction at the West door of the Court House, in the City of Xenia, on Saturday, January 2, 1931, at 10 o'clock A. M., of said day, the following described Real Estate, to-wit:

Situate in the County of Greene, State of Ohio, and Village of Osborn, bounded and described as follows: Being Lot No. 22 as numbered, known and designated on the plat of The First Addition of The Osborn Removal Company to said Village of Osborn, Ohio, recorded in Plat Book No. 2, pages 118, 119, 120, and 121 of the Plat Records of Greene County, Ohio.

Said premises is located at No. 148 Dayton Drive, Osborn, Ohio. Said premises has been appraised at \$2500.00, and can not sell for less than two-thirds of the appraised value.

Terms of Sale: CASH.
OHMER TATE, Sheriff,
of Greene County, Ohio.
31-12-3-10-17-24-31.

BRINGING UP FATHER

WHEN SHE LOOKS IN HER TRUNK AND FINDS 'EM, SHE'LL BE SURPRISED—BUT SHE MUST NEVER KNOW I PUT 'EM THERE.

THEY ARE NOT IN THIS HOUSE—I'M POSITIVE—I'VE LOOKED HIGH AND LOW FOR THEM.

LOOKAGIN—SEARCH ALL THE GRIPS—DID YOU LOOK IN YOUR TRUNK?

THAT OLD TRUNK? WHY I GAVE IT AWAY AN HOUR AGO—IT WAS ALL WORN OUT.

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Gifts For Her

CANDY
The inexpensive and appreciated gift for Christmas cheer. Our home-made candies are the best money can buy.
XENIA CANDY KITCHEN

LADIES' RAYNOOTS—all styles, at Sanz Shoe Store.

DRESSMAKING, ladies' tailoring, remodeling, alterations and sewing of all kinds. Betty's Dress Shop, Third Floor, Allen Building.

JOBE'S
The Store With The Christmas Spirit.

OLD LADIES' warm lined shoes at Sanz Shoe Store.

THERE IS LITTLE time left for deciding "what to give"—let SHOP-R-GUIDE decide for you.

SOHN'S DRUG STORE has a splendid assortment of handbags in handsomely tooled leather, also a large line of Christmas cards.

Give a Kodak for Christmas
New Designs and Colors
SAYRE'S DRUG STORE

Gifts For The Children

HOLIDAY SLIPPERS from 50c up at Sanz Shoe Store.

GET YOUR CHILD a musical instrument for Christmas. Buy records, sheet music here. Anderson-Soward, W. Main St.

Gifts For Him

EXIDE BATTERY
or a \$10 Gasoline Book
CARROLL-BINDER CO.
E. Main St.

GIFTS FOR HIM—Buy the best in smoking accessories at Harness Cigar Store, E. Main St.

MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS
Make The Ideal Christmas Gift
FERGUSON MUSIC STORE
48 W. Main St.

YOUR FRIENDS will appreciate a baby photograph more than anything else. It is a gift that is always cherished. Wheeler Studio.

Pleasing your family with your PHOTOGRAPH
Is more than Christmas sentiment—it's an obligation you owe the next generation.
CANBY ART GALLERY

Gifts For The Children

HOLIDAY SLIPPERS from 50c up at Sanz Shoe Store.

GET YOUR CHILD a musical instrument for Christmas. Buy records, sheet music here. Anderson-Soward, W. Main St.

less. At times, he even wondered if he were not presuming a great deal. That perhaps she didn't quite love him, after all. Was Dowling right? Had he made a fool of her? Then he thought—no Joretta.

Some girls might be captivated by a fellow's looks, but not she. Besides, he was no sheik. And then, why had she come to him, deliberately? She had made the advance—provided their opportunities to talk. Why? he had really talked with her only three times, and on two of those times she had come to the yacht to see him.

Oh, he knew she loved him, and the reassurance left him miserable and helpless. He couldn't even half think about his own situation. If he looked for work and got tied up somewhere, he might lose some small chance of seeing her; and losing so precious an opportunity would be fatal to them both. So he practiced every economy and lived on his small savings while he worked in his little shop at night until almost dawn, and contrived in every way to see Joretta or get word to her. But he was baffled in every attempt. To go to her home was useless, for he knew that no one would receive him, much less listen to what he had to say.

Two weeks passed. Joretta had been forced to accept the ultimatum. No use to plead for a reprieve. There was no way out, unless she made a terrible scene and defied her mother. Which would so humiliate her that she would probably die or never recover from the disgrace. Or she might make herself so ill with grief that the wedding would have to be postponed. But that would only mean a stay of execution, which would involve terrific expense and further grieve her mother. Might as well get it over. So she made a stoic effort to accept the situation.

She obediently accepted her mother's plans for her days, pleaded so much to do and avoided Norman as much as possible, smiled and chatted when it was required of her, feigned the happiness she was supposed to exhibit and somehow managed to deceive them all to such an extent that her mother never again alluded to the other affair.

When Joretta had ventured the next day to speak to her father, he had told her that Jim Norton had left his employ and he didn't know his whereabouts. That she had better forget this nonsense and do what was best for her, as they wished. Hurt and disappointed by her father's desertion of her, she made no comment. So futile to denounce them or defy them to declare her independence of her right to live. She somehow lived through the days and endured the torturing nights, when fitful sleep that did not refresh her, was demanded of her. She sometimes wished she could die, in her despair; then rallied again to man's inherent struggle for life.

Formal announcement was made at a dinner party in a hotel. As if it had set in motion a giant wheel of brilliant constellations, a confusion of social events followed. The hundreds of engraved and monogrammed invitations were out for the wedding ceremony and reception, and more hundreds of announcements were addressed and ready to be mailed later.

As if she would heap torture upon suffering Mrs. Dowling planned a week-end cruise for the bridal party only a week before the wedding. Joretta had not been aboard the yacht since that day of her last meeting with Jim.

On that evening, she drove to the club with her mother to join Norman and the others. There was a feeling of numbness. Her suffering had of late been acute that anything else was mild by comparison. She had grown much more pale, which only enhanced her beauty. But her face, in repose, was almost haggard, had anyone taken the trouble to discover it. Everyone took it for granted that she was blissfully happy and attributed her paleness to over-excitement and crowded days, so all went merrily as a marriage bell. Anyone watching the hilarity of the party that bordered the Montezuma that day would have little dreamed that tragedy stalked the bride-elect. The Chinese have an old proverb that reads, "At the foot of the light-house is darkness"—which is applicable to such a situation either way.

"I said that settles it—unless you will reconsider."

"Not a chance—no—can't be done, Norton," he interrupted hastily, rising. "Forget it, and get someone who will make you a good wife—one that will help you."

"Your daughter is just that one who would help me. There can be no one else."

Dowling shrugged. "You'll see I'm right after awhile. Well, good day, Norton. Much obliged for your services and tips."

"Good day, and you are welcome."

Jim was far from defeated, he thought, seething with anger and resentment. But in the days that followed, he had to admit that it looked as if he were. He made all kinds of attempts to be where he might see Joretta, but she never seemed to go out alone and he was very careful not to annoy her by letting her see that he was doing an amateur Sherlock Holmes stunt. Whenever he tried to telephone, he was told that she was out; and once he ventured to write a note which brought no reply, so he guessed that it had been intercepted. Of course, she knew of no way to reach him, so he was helpless.

Mrs. Abe Hyman and daughter, Miss Mildred Hyman, N. King St., escaped injury when their sedan upset in a shallow ditch on the Dayton-Mexia Jike, near Dayton, Monday morning. The accident happened in the Heathstone subdivision.

The accident occurred when Miss Hyman, who was driving the car, applied the brakes and the car skidded due to a light mist on the highway. The machine turned around five times before it upset on its side in the ditch. The car was badly damaged.

ENFORCEMENT WORK WILL CONTINUE IN SPITE OF DECISION

(Continued From Page One)

In the case of William Sprague, obscure farmer of Wantage Township, Sussex County, N. J., who was found last March with fifty half-barrels of beer on a truck and who, through the efforts of a brilliant array of counsel, fought the law itself.

The nub of Judge Clark's decision was in his contention that such amendments as the 18th that transfer to the United States powers heretofore reserved to the separate state, can be ratified only by conventions of the people themselves in those states and not by state legislatures.

The 18th amendment was ratified by state legislatures. Judge Clark, 39, and heir to millions, served with the American expeditionary forces in the World War. He is the youngest member of the federal judiciary. In yesterday's decision, 15,000 words in length, he cited nearly 100 authorities to support his contention.

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TERMS OF SALE: CASH.

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CHRYSANTHEMUMS — and Poinsettias. All colors. Reasonable prices. Also tulip, hyacinth and crocus bulbs. R. O. Douglas. Phone 549-W.

7 Lost and Found

FOUND—Girl's woolen gloves. Owner call at Gazette.

LOST—Sometime since December 1, pair of rimless spectacles, white gold frame. Reward. Margarette M. Williams, 120 N. College St., Yellow Springs, Ph. 127.

12 Roofing, Plumbing

PIPES—Valves and fittings for all purposes. BOCKLET'S line of plumbing and heating supplies are the best. The Bocklet-King Co., 415 W. Main St.

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MOVING—GENERAL TRUCKING—Lowest rates in city. G. C. Mendelhall, 214 West Main St.

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24 Dogs—Canaries—Pets

CANARIES FOR SALE—Good singers. An Ideal Christmas present. Miss Ella McTeery, 215 High St.

25 Poultry—Eggs—Supplies

YOUNG GESE and roasting chickens. Phone 1242-W.

DRESSED TURKEYS for Christmas. Call Chas. Kinney. Phone Co. 71-F-4.

PULLETS FOR SALE—25 Black Minorcas, 50 White Rocks, 50 Rhode Island Reds, 50 White Wyandots, 50 Barred Rocks, H. B. Creswell, Cedarville, O. Phone 3-192

ALL KINDS of poultry. Phone Jamestown 21 on 142. Owen Clements.

30 PURE BRED Barred Rock pullets

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26 Horses—Cattle—Hogs

EXTRA GOOD Shropshire rams. Phone 1, Spring Valley Exchange.

FOR SALE—Registered Jersey bull. T. B. and blood tested. Wm. Atkinson. Ph. 82-F-13.

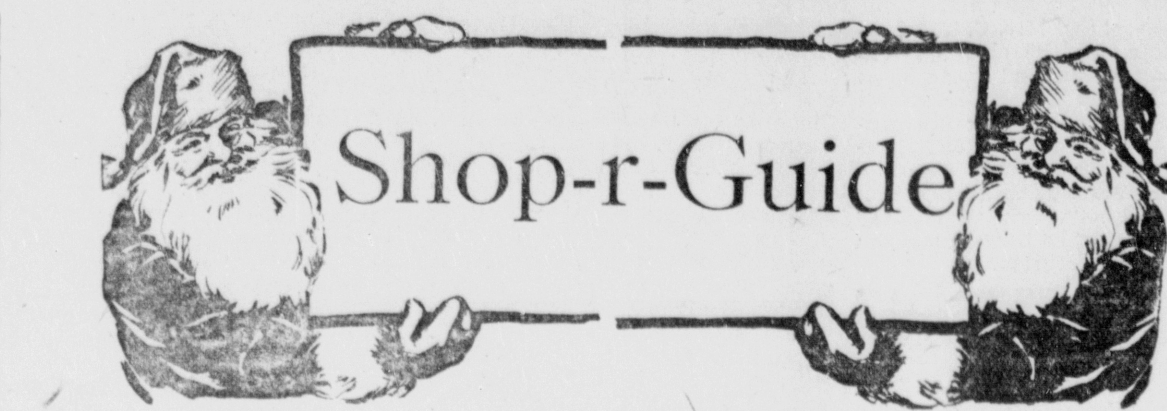
27 Wanted To Buy

WANTED—Sour cream. Highest cash price. Wolfe Dairy, rear of 220 E. Whiteman St. Ph. 194.

28 Miscellaneous For Sale

WE RE-BUILD and re-charge all makes of batteries. Carroll-Binder Co., E. Main St.

FUDGE AND SON'S wrecking yard. So. Collier St. Good price paid for your old car.



Shop-r-Guide

Gifts For The Home Gifts For Her Gifts For Him

FOR BEAUTIFUL CHINA CANDY EXIDE BATTERY

CHARTERS' JEWELRY The inexpensive and appreciated gift for Christmas cheer. Our home-made candies are the best money can buy. CARROLL-BINDER CO.

STORE E. Main St. XENIA CANDY KITCHEN E. Main St.

A SUBSCRIPTION to a good magazine makes an ideal Christmas gift. Order from Ralph Wallace. Ph. 1127-R.

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ELECTRIC KITCHEN Clocks—\$5.00. Tiffany Jewelry Store.

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A GIFT for the whole family—A radio from Richman's.

BUY THE Choicest Christmas trees from Abe Hyman. Perfect trees—prices right.

YULETIDE TIME is family group time. Get them together for a photo that will always be appreciated. Wheeler Studio.

FLASHLIGHTS 95 cents MILLER ELECTRIC W. Main St.

CHATEL LOANS. Notes Bought. Second Mortgages. John Harbina. Allen Building.

57 Used Cars For Sale 1929 FORD ROADSTER—A-1 condition. Cheap. H. N. Barnes. Cusins and Fearn Co., Xenia.

59 Auction Sales PUBLIC SALE — The Edward Schauer farm, located one mile west of Yellow Springs, Ohio, on Friday, Dec. 19, 1930, beginning at 11:00 o'clock. 1/2 head of horses; 9 head of cattle; 41 head of hogs; five Duroc sows, bred; 32 fat pigs, good ones, full line of farm implements; miscellaneous—Five A-shape hog coops; small hen house; wind wheel with 30-ft. tower, complete, in good condition; feed cooker, large size; 49 rd. of hog fence; milk cans; milk cooler; cream separator; 20 ducks; 19 geese; some household goods and junk and many other articles too numerous to mention. Terms: cash. Charles. Birle, Weikert & Gordon, Auctioneers. H. L. Hackett and John Williams, clerks.

60 Horses, Cows, Etc. DEAD STOCK We Pay Top Prices FOR HORSES And COWS Of Size Call 454 Xenia Fertilizer And Tankage Co.

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S. C. WRIGHT, Probate Judge of said County. 31: 12-17-24-31.

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Said premises is located at No. 148 Dayton Drive, Osborn, Ohio. Said premises has been appraised at \$250.00, and can be sold for less than two-thirds of the appraised amount.

Terms of Sale: Cash. OHMER TATE, Sheriff. C. W. WILFINGER, Atty. 31: 12-13-17-24-31.

BRINGING UP FATHER I MUST HAVE THEM LETTERS. YOU LOOKIN' FER 'EM. YOU HAD 'EM AN' YOU'VE PUT 'EM SOMEWHERE BY MISTAKE.

WHEN SHE LOOKS IN HER TRUNK AN' FINDS 'EM, SHE'LL BE SURPRISED, BUT SHE MUST NEVER KNOW I PUT 'EM THERE.

THEY ARE NOT IN THIS HOUSE. I'M POSITIVE. I'VE LOOKED HIGH AND LOW FOR THEM.

LOOKAGIN'—SEARCH ALL THE GRIDS. DID YOU LOOK IN YOUR TRUNK?

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less. At times, he even wondered if he were not presuming a great deal. That perhaps she didn't quite love him, after all. Was Dowling right? Had he made a fool of her? Then he thought—no Joretta.

Some girls might be captivated by a fellow's looks, but not she. Besides, he was no sheik. And then, why had she come to him, deliberately? She had made the advance—provided their opportunities to talk. Why! he had really talked with her only three times, and on two of those times she had come to the yacht to see him.

Oh, he knew she loved him, and the reassurance left him miserable and helpless. He couldn't even half think about his own situation. If he looked for work and got tied up somewhere, he might lose some small chance of seeing her, and losing so precious an opportunity would be fatal to them both. So he practiced every economy and lived on his small savings while he worked in his little shop at night until almost dawn, and continued in every way to see Joretta or get word to her. But he was baffled in every attempt. To go to her home was useless, for he knew that no one would receive him, much less listen to what he had to say.

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She obediently accepted her mother's plans for the wedding, pleaded so much to do and avoided Norman as much as possible, smiled and chatted when it was required of her, feigned the happiness she was supposed to exhibit and somehow managed to deceive them all to such an extent that her mother never again alluded to the other affair.

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XENIANS UNHURT AS AUTO TURNS OVER

Mrs. Abe Hyman and daughter, Miss Mildred Hyman, N. King St., escaped injury when their sedan upset in a shallow ditch on the Dayton-Xenia Jike, near Dayton, Monday morning. The accident happened in the Heartstone subdivision.

The accident occurred when Miss Hyman, who was driving the car, applied the brakes and the car skidded due to a light mist on the highway. The machine turned around five times before it upset on its side in the ditch. The car was badly damaged.

ENFORCEMENT WORK WILL CONTINUE IN SPITE OF DECISION

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TERMS OF SALE: CASH. OHMER TATE, Sheriff. C. W. WILFINGER, Atty. 31: 12-10-17-24-31.

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The Theater

Hollywood's tainted reputation is maintained as the cinema village records show that divorcees continued to outnumber marriages during the year just coming to a close. Despite the stock market crash and other ills that beset the picture-folk, there were seventeen important film marriages during the year, while there were thirty-six major divorces and seating a dinner party still continues a complicated problem in diplomacy.

Heading the list of marriages, perhaps, should be that of Bebe Daniels and Ben Lyon, whose wedding was one of the social high-



DOLORES DEL RIO

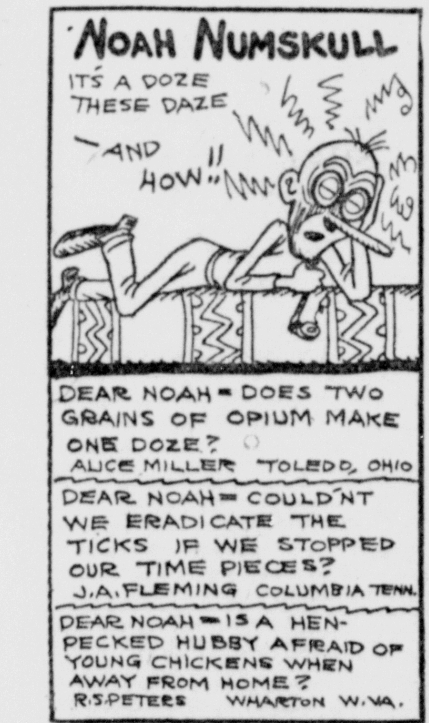
lights of the year. Other well-known stars who braved matrimony include Sally Ellers and Hoot Gibson, Dolores Del Rio and Cedric Gibbons, Loreta Young and Grant Withers (an elopement) June Clyde and Thornton Freeland, Alice Day and Jack Cobb, Dorothy Lee and James Fiddler, and Lewis Stone and Hazel Woolf.

Among the lesser-known players and studio employees married during the year were Ethelyn Claire, who married Ernest Westmore, the make-up artist; Jocelyn, who wed Luther Reed the director; Dixie Lee who took the vows with Bing Crosby, one of the Rhythm Boys and Jack Garrick, who put the ring on Harriett Bennett's finger.

Louis B. Mayer's two daughters, Irene and Edith, have been married to David Selznick and Ben Goetz, respectively. Other marriages include those of Michael Curtiz, the director and Beas Meredith the scenarist; Frank Tuttle, the director and Tanya Achorn and Bernie Fineman the supervisor and Margaret De Milie.

Clarence Brown, the director, is reported reading the script of Wallace Beery's next picture, "Bugle Sounds" and it is reported that he will direct the star in this film.

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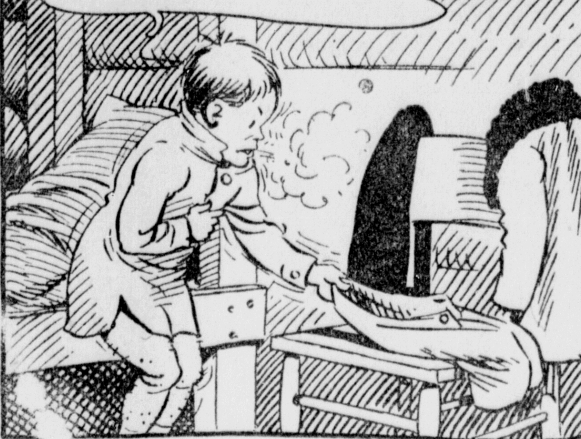


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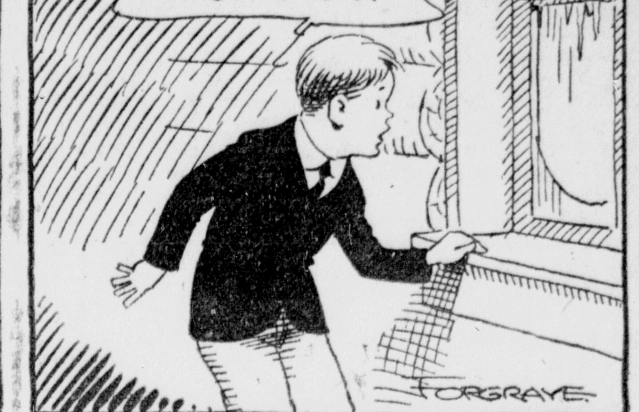
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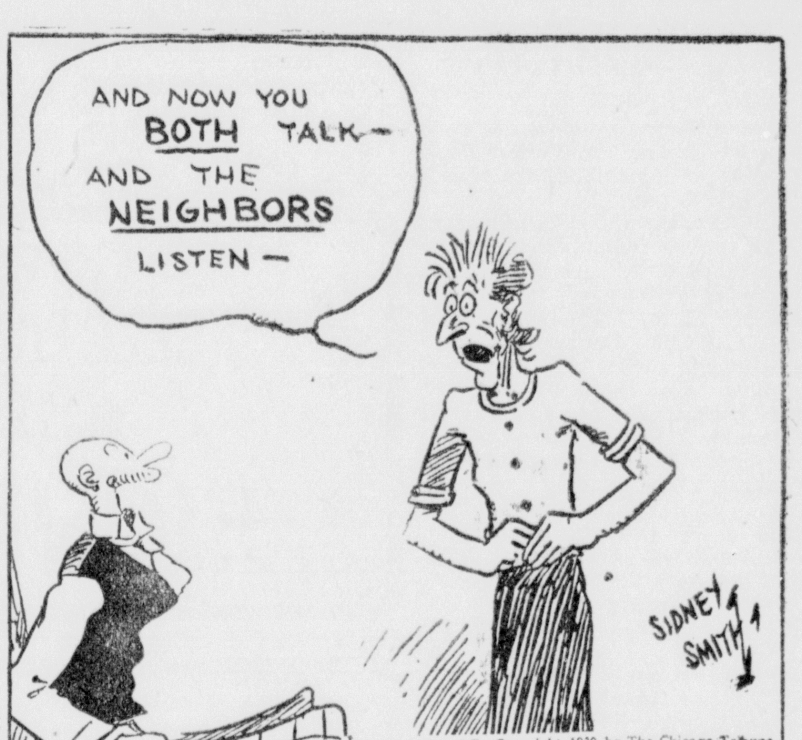
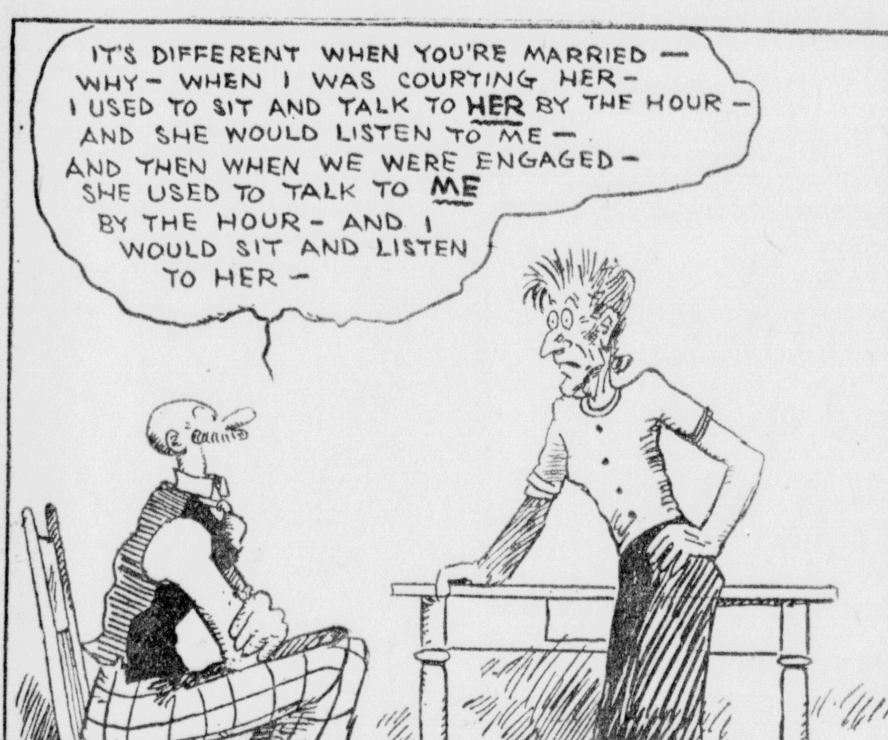
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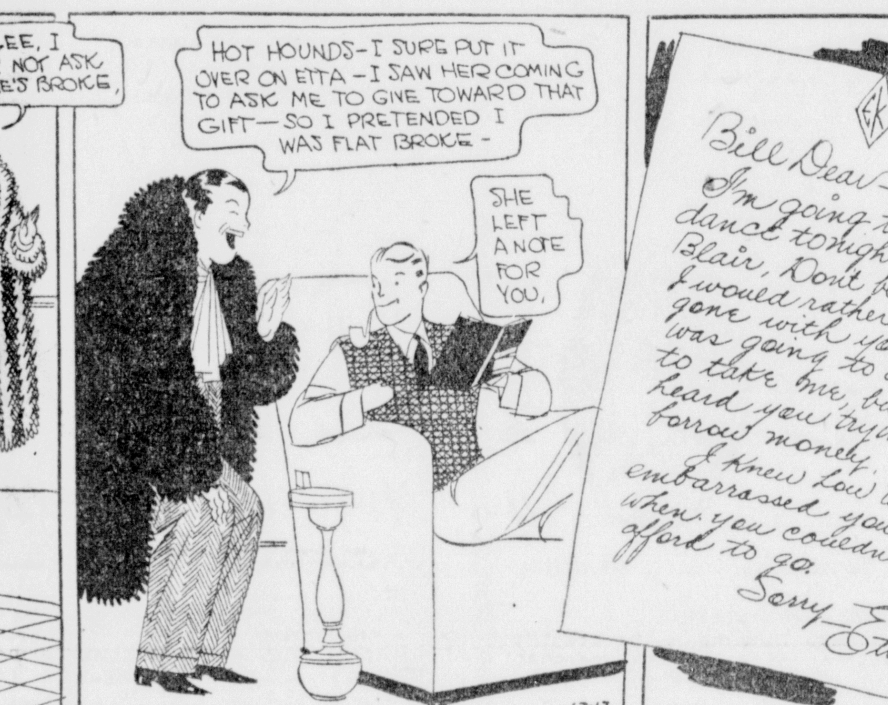
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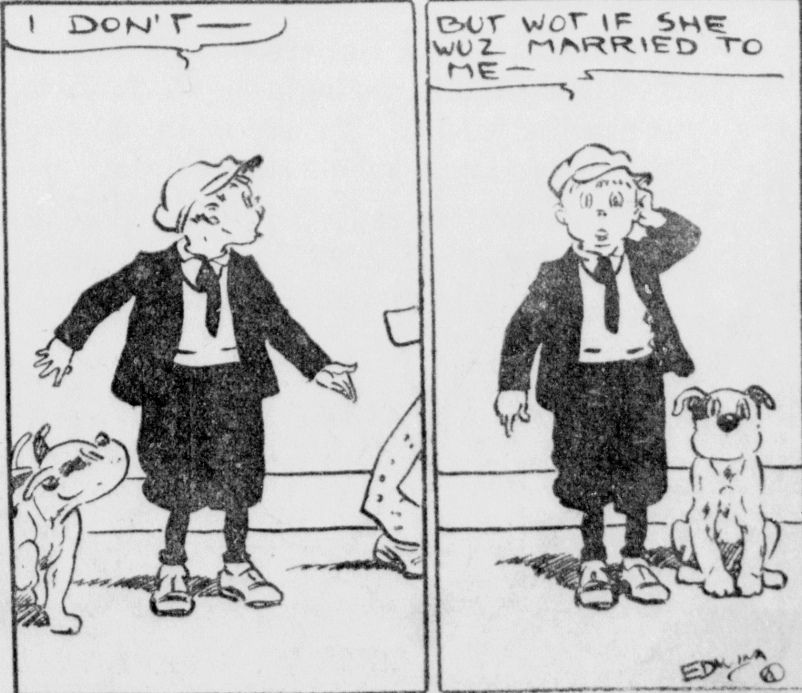
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Heading the list of marriages, perhaps, should be that of Bebe Daniels and Ben Lyon, whose wedding was one of the social high-

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Fifteen Percy's small son, "Cubby," came in the other day and asked his mother if she was a screen star. "What gave you that idea?" inquired. "The kid next door said so," said "Cubby." "Well, what did you say?" asked his mother. "I said no, that you are a lady," replied the lad. And that's that.

Twenty Years '10- Ago -'30

Today is "Santa Claus Day" on the Pennsylvania Railroad and all the employees of the company are rejoicing. The pay car arrived in Xenia at noon and all the boys were on hand to meet it.

An Indian woman, arrayed in all the gay toggery of her tribe, drew a great deal of attention as she strolled about the streets of Xenia. She is a member of "As Told in the Hills" company.

The Messrs. Clarence and Earl Deener, who have come to the local high school from Cincinnati, were received into the athletic association.

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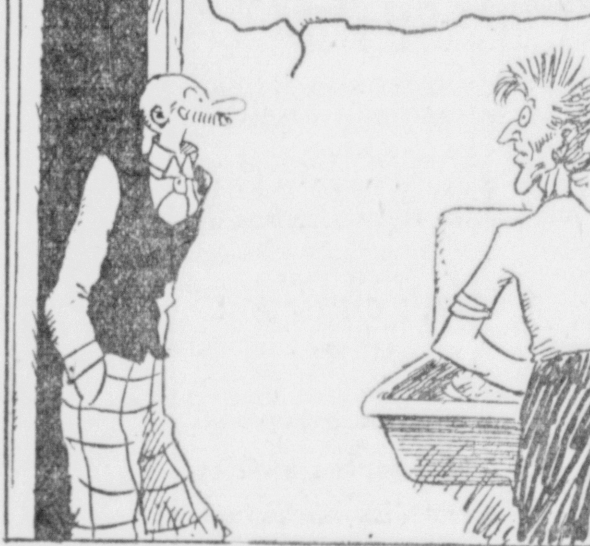


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IT'S DIFFERENT WHEN YOU'RE MARRIED—WHY—WHEN I WAS COURTING HER—I USED TO SIT AND TALK TO HER BY THE HOUR—AND SHE WOULD LISTEN TO ME—AND THEN WHEN WE WERE ENGAGED—SHE USED TO TALK TO ME BY THE HOUR—AND I WOULD SIT AND LISTEN TO HER—



AND NOW YOU BOTH TALK—AND THE NEIGHBORS LISTEN—



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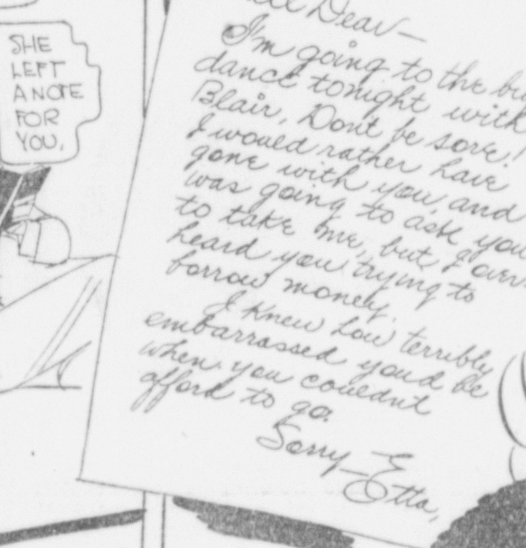
Now that the QMS in ETTA's class have decided to let the boys chip in toward the Professors gift, she has plenty to collect.



SORRY BILL, BUT I CAN'T LEND YOU A CENT I'M BUSTED TOO.



AW-CEE, I BETTER NOT ASK HIM—HE'S BROKE.



HOT HOUNDS—I SURE PUT IT OVER ON ETTA—I SAW HER COMING TO ASK ME TO GIVE TOWARD THAT GIFT—SO I PRETENDED I WAS FLAT BROKE—

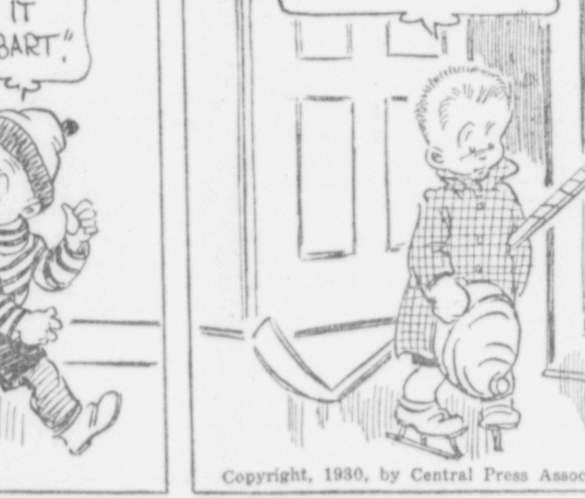


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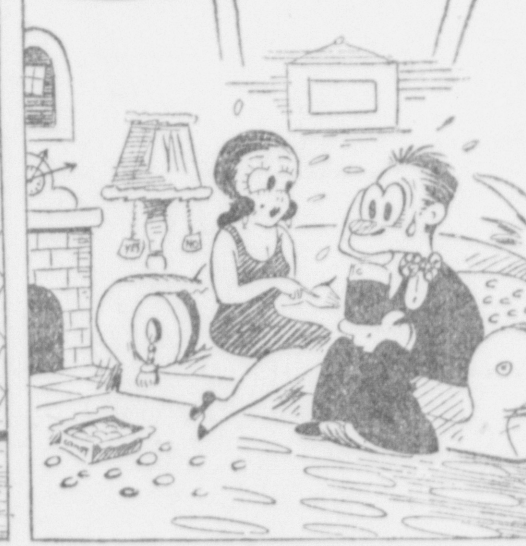
OH, WHAT A BORE SOME TIME—HERE IT'S ONE O'CLOCK, TIME FOR YOU TO GO HOME—AND ALL YOU'VE DONE IS SIT HERE ALL EVENING TRYING TO REMEMBER SOMETHING YOU WANTED TO TELL ME—WHAT IS IT?



I DON'T KNOW—I CAN'T REMEMBER—



ONE HOUR LATER—



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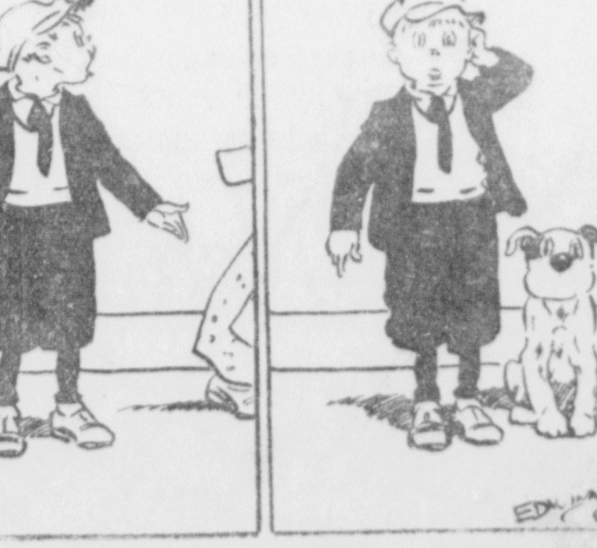
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—AN' I LAFFED—AN' SHE GOT SORE AN' SAID WHEN SHE GOT MARRIED, THAT WUZ TH' WAY HER HOUSE WUZ GONNA BE RUN—



DOLORES DEL RIO

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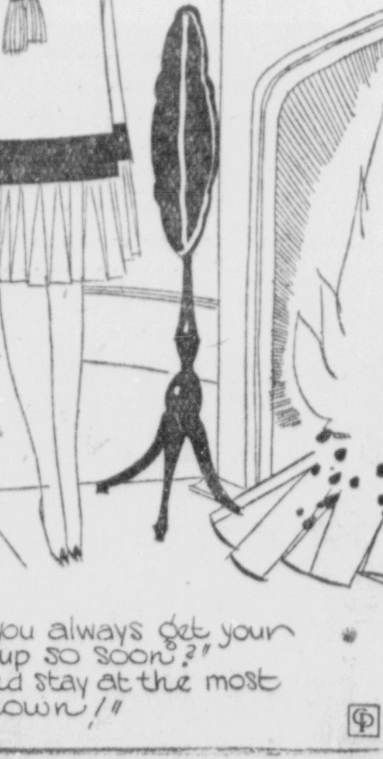
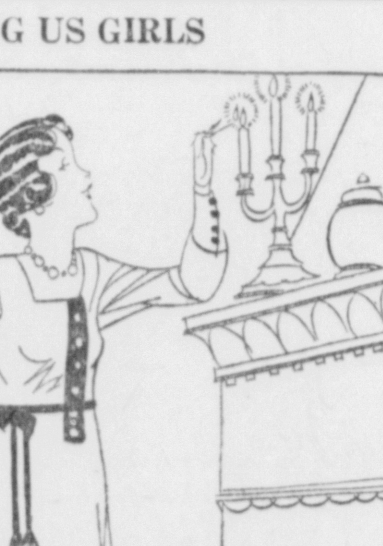
SALLY'S SALLIES

I WONDER WHAT HAPPENED TO THE REST OF THE CASE AFTER THE VERDICT!



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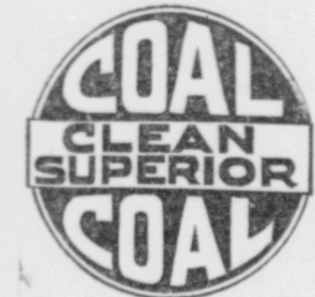


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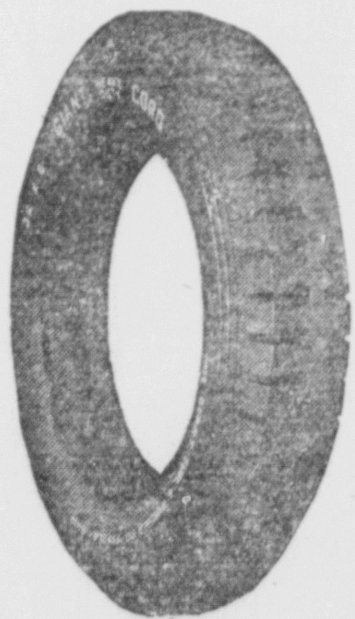
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